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36 inch bleached cambric that sells regular at 8-13c a yard. We have some short lengths we intend to close out today; maybe there is enough of it to last all day, but don't think it will at 5c a yard.

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HUNTER HELD**TO ANSWER**

Charged With Assaulting J. L. Bachant—Bail \$1000.

Statements of Complainant and Defendant Differ In Details and Effect.

Jeff Hunter, a well known vineyardist who lives about eight miles east of the city limits, was yesterday held to answer on a charge of assault with a deadly weapon. Bail was fixed at \$1000.

The charge was an alleged assault with a scale weight upon the head of J. L. Bachant, who lives near the defendant, on October 8th. The hearing took place before Judge Briggs in the court room of Justice Smith. Deputy District Attorney Kanke, with Attorney M. K. Harris prosecuted, and Attorney W. D. Crickleton conducted the defense.

It will be remembered that the complainant swore to a warrant charging Hunter with beating him into insensibility with a heavy weight during a dispute over 1000 pounds of grapes during the weighing of a wagon load of the fruit. The wife of Bachant testified to the statement of the complainant, and her husband from some units.

In making the complaint Bachant swore that Hunter threatened to kill him. The case was connected with an alleged assault occurring outside of the city limits, should properly have been tried by Judge Smith, but the justice stated that as a friend of both parties he could not conscientiously handle the case, as he had formed an opinion on one side.

At the examination yesterday, the first witness called was Dr. Barr, who testified to treating the defendant for injuries received to his head by some instrument used with violence. On the back of the head said the doctor, were several contusions, with several lighter marks and scratches on the face.

Mrs. Bachant, wife of the defendant, took the stand and stated that she accompanied her husband to the place of Hunter and saw him strike her husband with a heavy weight. Hunter seemed excited, said Hunter, after the two men talked for awhile, and the next thing she knew was a yell from Hunter saying, "Get out of here!"

To this her husband responded, "I don't have to." After that she saw Hunter strike her husband with a weight, such as are used in weighing 1000 pounds on the large scales, and follow up the first blow by several others, perhaps six in number altogether. The blows were struck over the head, and her husband seemed too weak to defend himself. However, he rose and threw a club at his assailant, missing him by a wide mark. He then took a shovel, but did not use it. She persuaded the injured man to get into the buggy and go home, and as he left to go, Hunter shouted after him, "I'll kill you!"

Cross-examined by Attorney Crickleton for the defense, witness denied that she had heard her husband call Hunter a day, and with considerable asperity stated that she had heard him use no insulting or heated language. She admitted seeing him pick up a shovel.

E. L. Bachant, the complaining witness, testified that he had been struck by Hunter. In telling his story he stated that there had been some dispute about 1000 pounds of grapes which had been credited to him in excess of what was properly due. Hunter sent a note over to him asking him to come down and adjust the matter some time. With his wife he went to Hunter's place and the two men disputed that matter. Witness stated that he used the expression, mildly, "I know you think you made a mistake," and at this Hunter turned upon him with the remark, "Well, I've sent the weight; you get it if you can." A few more words followed and Hunter ordered him off the place. Witness replied that he did not have to go, but turned to go when he was struck from behind with a heavy weight. After being struck several times he picked up a shovel to defend himself in case of another attack, but his wife induced him to get into the buggy and go home.

As he turned to go he told Hunter that he would have him arrested, and get an answer back to the fact that he would be killed.

Cross-examined, witness did not remember saying, "I'll get back at you for this before night."

Hunter did not take the stand, and was held to answer. Hunter's defense in the Superior court will be that Bachant struck him with a shovel on his wrist, cutting and bruising it. In explaining the matter, Hunter stated that he inadvertently made an overweight of 1000 pounds and sent word to the other to come down and settle the matter. Bachant became abusive and struck him.

MANY ATTEND FUNERAL OF**MAN WHO DIED IN BUGGY**

Last Rites Over Remains of W. F. Glass Are Witnessed By Sympathetic Friends.

A large number of friends of the late William F. Glass, who died last Monday while on his way to the county hospital, were present yesterday afternoon when the funeral services were conducted in the undertaking chapel of Shannon & Beall. The Rev. A. C. McKeever officiated. Among those present were the aged father and young sister of the deceased, who came from Stockton; a brother from Hanford; and another brother who came from the city. Besides these were out-of-town friends, and many residents of the West Side. A profusion of beautiful flowers were placed on the casket and around the graveside.

The deceased man belonged to a respectable family, but during his latter years with failing health, followed the calling of a bartender when physically unable for more active work. His relatives were not aware of his condition, and were shocked to learn that he had died suddenly.

Money to Loan

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Clark Returning from France.

LOS ANGELES, Oct. 16.—Senator W. A. Clark of Montana, who recently was injured in an automobile accident in France, will sail from Liverpool for America tomorrow, according to a dispatch received by his brother, J. Ross Clark at this city. He will arrive in New York on October 28th. The senator will go direct from New York to his home in Butte.

SPANISH RAISIN CROP**DAMAGED BY RAIN**

Third of the Crop of Malaga District Was Destroyed—Prices Advanced.

(From the San Francisco Chronicle.)—About 10,000 tons of raisins from Malaga, Spain, which are being shipped to the United States, were destroyed by a violent rain and wind storm, amounting to about a third of the crop, which is valued at \$1,000,000.

The storm was particularly intense, as the bulk of the grapes were still on the vines and approaching the high stage of perfection. In the district of Cangas, adjacent to Malaga, where the largest raisins are raised, but a small portion of the crop had been cut and placed upon the drying beds, with the result that the bulk of the fruit in that section has been either wholly lost or badly damaged.

The impact was almost unprecedented in its severity, one river which flows through the grape district overflowing its banks and submerging thousands of vines filled with ripening grapes. Prior to the storm the export of the raisin crop had been estimated at 200,000 22-pound boxes.

First-class prices have already advanced one-half a Spanish dollar per box of twenty-two pounds, the price now paid by local exporters to the growers for the various grades being 17 1/2 per cent for Imperials, 16 1/2 for Royals, 15 for Seconds, 10 1/2 for Commons, 5 for Canners, 5 for London Raisins, 5 for Raisins. There is no stock of these raisins, but 400,000 are quoted at 10 per cent, 300,000 at 8 1/2 and 200,000 at 7 1/2. The price is now worth about 17 cents American.

An inevitable rise in the selling price of the raisins will follow, a condition that will considerably affect the American market. Generally it happens that as the season progresses prices become lower, but exporters say that ordinary conditions will prevail this year, and that mid-season figures may be slightly in excess of those at present.

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SEALS WIN**FIRST GAME**

Game Called After Seventh On Account of Sandstorm.

Brown Found For Only Three Hits — Jimmy Whalen Dons Fresno Uniform.

Yesterday's baseball game between the Seals and Rain-Eaters was played in a blinding sandstorm and everybody was glad when the game called off at the end of the seventh inning. Brown was on the slab for San Francisco and pitched a good game. He was found for only three hits which were made by Jimmy Whalen.

Whalen, first base on errors—Los Angeles 1, Portland 2. Left on bases—Los Angeles 8, Portland 7. Bases on balls—Off Seals 4, off Whalen 2. Struck out by Seals 3, by Seals 2. Double plays—Seals 1, by Seals 1. To Wanner: Warner to Lister; Lister to Toman; Lister pitched ball—Lister, Umpire—Mahaffey.

OAKLAND, Oct. 16.—Seattle shut out Oakland today. Score: Seattle 1, Oakland 0. Hits—Seattle 10, Oakland 0. Errors—Seattle 1, Oakland 0. Batters—Jones and Blankenship; Gates, Hackett and Miles; Umpire—Derrick.

HANFORD BUDGET.

Telephone Company to Put Underground Cable In Heart of City.

HANFORD, Oct. 16.—The Sunset Telephone company has a game of new work taking down its poles in the business part of this city. The company has completed the new underground cable, and will soon commence installing its system in this city, preparatory to giving the best service possible to their Hanford patrons.

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Kings Council, Order of Pendo, held an enjoyable meeting this evening, a large number of candidates being introduced.

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W. H. O'Brien of Los Angeles is in Hanford investigating the feasibility of the erection of a concentrated vegetable plant in this city. A considerable amount of stock in the company has been disposed of to Hanford capitalists and it is very likely that the plant will be in operation in the course of a few months.

Reports from Tulare lake state that the level of that body of water has lowered about eighteen inches in the past two months. The decrease of the water is due principally to evaporation.

Willow camp, No. 163, met last evening and after an enthusiastic regular meeting, held a smoker. The camp will organize a fully equipped drill team at an early date.

CHILD VICTIM OF FIRE**IS LAID TO HER REST**

Remains of Little Mary Gable Are Interred In Presence of Many Sympathizers.

The charred remains of little Mary Gable, who was burned to death last Monday while fighting a fire at her home on F street, were laid to rest yesterday afternoon after services were held in the undertaking chapel of Stephens & Bean. A large gathering of friends were present, in addition to many strangers who learned of the tragic manner in which the young life had gone out. There were many floral tributes, some of which came from strangers, and the stricken mother was the recipient of great sympathy from all present. The interment was in Mountain View cemetery.

DISCOURAGING GOOD MEN**FROM PANAMA SERVICE**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 16.—Secretary Root, who spent two days on the isthmus of Panama on his return from his trip to South America, has written a letter to the president giving the results of his observations of the work on the canal.

"The greatest danger in canal construction now seems to me," he says, "to be the really good and able men who are competent to handle it and who can get profitable employment elsewhere should be unwilling to continue in the service under indiscriminate misrepresentation and abuse."

WIDOW OF INGERSOLL**LOSES BIG SUGGESTION**

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McCordie out batting third strike.

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MONEY FOR TEACHERS' ASSOCIATION CONVENTION**Financial Committee Has Nearly Completed Its Work.**

The committee in charge of finances for the convention of the State Teachers' association to be held here the last week in December has been working hard canvassing the entire city and parts of the county. At present the prospects do not look any too bright for plentiful funds, but all the members of the committee have not reported as yet. Other arrangements are somewhat at a standstill, as it is necessary to know the exact amount of resources before the details of the convention can be arranged.

The tickets for the benefit ball game to be given next Saturday were recently sent out for sale. This game should draw a large crowd, and if the attendance is good, the finances of the local branch of the teachers' association will be considerably increased. On account of the basketball game there will be no meeting of the committee Saturday, but by Monday all the reports should be in, and the exact amount of money available be known, in order that other committees can get to work on the arrangements.

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This report arose through a former member of the firm severing his connections and going to work for one of our competitors. We will advise that we are still representing the same insurance companies that we have represented in the past, and it is not our intention to sell out, but to continue to write business as of old.
It may be of interest to the public to know that the firm is principally owned and controlled by J. Fred Ewing, J. A. McClurg, Jr. and W. M. McDaniell, each owning about one-third of its capital stock. There are a few shares owned by persons in Fresno, but the above named persons are the active members of the firm.
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E. KATZ ARRESTED FOR KEEPING SLOT MACHINES

Proprietor of Grand Central Cigar Store Puts Cigar Machine On Counter In Violation of Law and Is Arrested—Says He Will Test Case—To Appear in Police Court Today.

True to his promise to violate the law prohibiting the use of cigar slot machines, Emanuel Katz, proprietor of the Grand Central Cigar Store, had a machine on his counter early yesterday morning and as his action met with no opposition from the police department, put another one there shortly after noon. He was placed under arrest at 2:30 o'clock in the afternoon, but continued to keep the machine on his counter until he was told at 7:45 o'clock last night by Sergeant Walton that unless he (Katz) removed the machine, he would be confined to the police department. Katz was most open and brazen in his violation of the law and invited City Attorney Ewing to play the machine when the latter passed his place of business shortly before noon yesterday. All day long crowds of spectators thronged the shop looking askance at the now unwhimsical device and but few had the temerity to try the new machine. There was no lack of criticism at Katz's course and many spectators were heard to say that he should be prosecuted.

Shaw Got Advice.
Meanwhile the chief of police was trying to find out just what course to take to do away with the machine, against which there was such an overwhelming expression of popular disapproval. At Katz's meeting of the Board of Trustees, Chief Shaw, when informed that Katz had the machine on his counter, went to see for himself and then consulted the city attorney as to what should be done about the matter.

City Attorney Ewing told the chief of police that if he were chief he would take the machine and place Katz under arrest. "The municipal ordinance is good," said City Attorney Ewing. "It is drawn to include cigar machines, and Katz is violating the law. It is up to you."
Nothing was done about the matter, however, until 3:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon, when Chief of Police Shaw notified Katz that he was under arrest and ordered him to appear before Judge Briggs at 9:30 o'clock this morning. At that time Katz was told to take the machine off his counter, but he paid no heed to this order of Chief Shaw's. Instead, Katz placed another machine on the counter and told the crowd around his place that he would not be interfered with. Under this statement more people were encouraged to try their luck at the machine and it was the center of attraction. This state of affairs continued until Walton's visit.

Katz Still Defiant.
While Katz will not admit it, it is thought that his effort to test the law is being backed up by the rest of the cigar men in Fresno. "I am going to make a test case out of this," said Katz last night. "I was not arrested, but simply told to appear before the judge tomorrow morning. The machines were not taken away from me. I agreed with the police officers not to use them for a time. They will be on my counter again in a few days, however. I will consult my lawyer before I make my next move. The machines are here and no one will dare take them away from me."

Katz refused to state who is handling his case for him, and says that he is alone in his effort to test the law. He says that under a recent decision from the Appellate Court, cigar machines are not unlawful, and it is on these grounds that he will fight his case if he can succeed in taking it to the courts.
Says Law Is Sound.
It is the opinion of City Attorney Ewing that the city law is absolutely safe and that Katz is guilty under the municipal ordinance whether or not the state law covers cigar machines.
"The municipal ordinance was drawn to include cigar machines," said Mr. Ewing last night. "Katz is plainly in violation of the law and will be prosecuted."
"The ordinance does not say 'other representatives of value,' but 'things of value,' and cigars can certainly be said to be things of value."

Provision of Ordinance.
Katz was not booked at police headquarters and there is no record that he was arrested. The warrant under which he will be arraigned this morning was drawn last night under the direction of the city attorney, and is based on Section 2 of ordinance 398, relating to gambling machines. Section 2 of ordinance 398 reads: "It shall be unlawful for any person, other as owner, lessee, agent, employee, mortgagee, or otherwise, to operate, keep, maintain, rent, use or conduct within the City of Fresno any machine, contrivance, appliance or mechanical device, upon the result of the action of which money or other valuable thing is staked or hazarded, and which is operated or played by playing or depositing therein any coins, checks, slugs, bills or other article or device, or in any other manner, and by means of the action whereof or as the result of the operation of which, any merchandise, money, representative or article of value, check or token redeemable in, or exchange for money, or any other thing of value, is won or lost or taken from or obtained from such machine, when the result of the action or operation of such machine, contrivance, appliance or mechanical device is dependent upon hazard or chance."
"I arrested Emanuel Katz at about 2:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon," said Chief of Police Shaw last night. "I had no warrant when I arrested him, but I did not deem that such a warrant was necessary, as he was violating the law."

Just what proceeding will be taken against Katz is not known at this time. It is thought that if he appeals to a jury for trial that it will go hard with him. He declares that he will place the machine on his counter again and defy the police to remove them.
Can Be Confiscated.
"Those machines can be confiscated and taken from Katz's counter," said Attorney H. M. Johnston, under whose direction as city attorney the battle against the machines was won four years ago. "The thing for the police to do is to simply take them and when now once appear take them, too, and keep removing machines as fast as they appear. That is the way we stopped the machines and the courts upheld us. We took four or five of them from Samuel, who was selected to make the test case last time, and when he brought action to recover them the court held that the machines were gambling devices and had no rights in the courts. In fact, at that time it was decided that the word 'keep' meant simply to have in one's possession, and if Katz has these things behind his counter now he is violating the law."

The Former Decision.

The decision to which Mr. Johnston refers was rendered by Judge Churchill and Austin, sitting in bank on Oct. 23, 1906. It reads as follows:
"This is an action brought to recover the possession of certain slot machines which plaintiff alleges were taken by the defendant without right and are now unlawfully withheld by defendant."
"The defendant justifies on the ground that he is and was at all times mentioned in the complaint Chief of Police of the City of Fresno and that he took and retained said machines as such Chief under, and by virtue of, an ordinance of said City numbered 398, passed Oct. 31, 1901, entitled, 'An Ordinance relating to gambling and prohibiting all gambling machines and certain classes of gambling, etc.' and that said slot machines are gambling devices and come within the prohibition of said ordinance which he alleges makes the keeping thereof within the city a misdemeanor; that sundry criminal actions were commenced and are pending in the Police Court of said city against the plaintiff and his assignors for the violation of said ordinance and that he, the defendant, under and by virtue of his office, seized and now claims the right to hold said machines as evidence against said plaintiff and others at the trial of said actions. Defendant further justifies on the ground that said slot machines are gambling devices intended to be used in violation of the law of the State of California, and the ordinance of the City of Fresno against gambling and particularly against gambling machines, and that said machines have no value save as such gambling devices nor can they be put to any legitimate use, and that in the discharge of his official duties he claims the right to hold said machines, to prevent such violation and also to be used as evidence if necessary. The ordinance referred to he specifies as Ordinance No. 398 heretofore mentioned and Ordinance No. 411, passed March 3, 1902, and Ordinance No. 419, passed April 21, 1902.

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It is therefore ordered that plaintiff take nothing by reason of his action and that defendant have judgment for his costs.

"GEO. E. CHURCH,
H. Z. AUSTIN,
Judges."

"[Endorsed.] No. 8808.
Metzger vs. Morgan. Opinion on Merits."

"Filed Oct. 24, 1902.
G. W. Cartwright, Clerk.
By J. E. Cartwright, Deputy."

FRASER IS PURGED OF CONTEMPT CHARGE

But Government Prosecutor Will Make Further Attempts to Obtain Desired Records.

ST. LOUIS, Oct. 16.—In the hearing before Judge Adams of the United States Circuit Court of Appeals of the contempt case against R. M. Fraser, chairman of the Eastbound Freight Committee, who refused to produce certain records at the hearing of the government's master case against the Terminal Railroad Association, and was technically placed under arrest at the instance of Special Commissioner Roubenauer on the charge of contempt, Judge Adams today decided that Special Commissioner Roubenauer had not the authority to issue a subpoena duces tecum against Fraser or commit the witness to jail and Fraser was discharged.
Attorney E. C. Crow, chief counsel in the government's case, thereupon announced that he would go before Judge Finkelnburg of the United States District Court and ask for an order requiring Fraser to produce the desired records.

INJUNCTION DISMISSED

Upson Takes No Tack In Tentative Case.

Four Bad Boys to Appear Before the Juvenile Court—Reid Estate Settled.

One of the injunctions obtained to protect vice has been removed by voluntary action of the man who secured it. Yesterday, J. F. Upson, represented by Homer Bickley, his attorney, asked that the suit of J. F. Upson vs. Parker Lyon et als be dismissed.
"The action indicates a new policy on the part of Upson. He owns the 'soft drink' place opposite the notorious Whitney club, which runs with police sanction. There has been practically no pretense that the Upson joint has been anything but a place under the ban of the law, and now even the flimsy pretense is to be thrown out and it is to be run for just what it is. When the inmates are arrested, as is expected they will be, a fight will be made in court upon the matter of favoritism in public regulations in this district; whether the place across the street furnished by W. Parker Lyon will be permitted to run while the others will not be."

Four Bad Boys.
Four bad boys will be before Judge Austin of the Juvenile court Friday. They are John Renna, son of Andrew Renna; Henry Schmidt, son of Catherine Schmidt; Harold Matthews, son of Rose Matthews, and Grover Crane, son of Mrs. Nelson Crane. All these boys were rounded up by H. A. Sessions, principal of the trunk school. John Renna is an old offender for a boy of 12 years. For a while the Salvation Army got hold of him and straightened him out, but it didn't last long. He is described by Sessions as "not properly controlled," roams the streets dirty and unkempt, is not kept in school and is a persistent truant from school."

Henry Schmidt, aged 15, seems to be the "baddest" boy of the bunch. He threatens to kill his mother, and among the neighbors by pilfering and abusing other children.
Matthews and Crane are persistent truants and confirmed users of tobacco. Matthews in addition is charged with pilfering and keeping bad company.

Claims Compromised.
The claims against the John S. Reid estate which were the subject of suit, were settled by the attorneys and the suit, which had been tried but not decided, was dismissed by stipulation. The claimants were W. O. Temple and Celia Arenas. Temple's claim was \$1,414.85; he was given \$180. Celia Arenas had a claim against the estate for nursing, housekeeping and the like for \$2000, in addition to \$2000, which she had already been paid. She was given \$750. The suits were against Public Administrator Chittenden, who has the estate in charge, G. W. Cartwright represented the claimants and M. F. McCormack and J. P. Bernhard the estate.

Nine Years for Jap.
The Jap, T. Shimizu, who was employed as porter at the Kearney estate, and who shot and seriously wounded Levi McKie, the storekeeper, pleaded guilty and was sentenced by Judge Austin to nine years in San Quentin.

Other Court Cases.
Another of the Selma liquor case against T. R. Brewer came up yesterday, and as there was no question of fact involved, the case was submitted on briefs.

The case against V. R. Monger for forging notes on a horse draft, went over till tomorrow to plead.

Public Administrator Chittenden was authorized to sell at private sale lots 8, 9, 10 in block 122 of the John L. Howell estate.

Isabella Weaver was appointed administrator of the estate of Augusta Corbin, valued at \$1000.

Charles B. Balch made his report as guardian of George Welch, incompetent. As the ward has since died, the guardian was appointed administrator to care for the balance of the estate remaining in his possession, \$708.40.

Escalacion de Borja petitioned that lots 3 and 4, block 52, Firebaugh, of the estate of Nuriña de Borja, be adjudged community property and vested in her.

Must Pay First.
Walter H. Harrell, who is suing him for divorce, \$2500 in costs, and attorney's fees before he makes any appearance in the case.

Money to Loan.
The People's Savings Bank of Fresno have \$250,000 to loan on Fresno county real estate.

LOWER COURT DAILY GRIND

Homer Haskell World Weary At Sixteen Years.

Does Not Care What Happens to Him If He Is Convicted of Bicycle Theft.

Tired of wrong doing, world weary, and blasé at 16 years. This describes Homer Haskell, a youth of good parentage who is up on a charge of stealing a bicycle and who frankly admitted in a tired kind of way yesterday that he had done other things contrary to the spirit of the law and good order.

Yesterday, before Judge Briggs, young Haskell who is an intelligent youngster with a tired face, told of how he acquired possession of a bicycle which he picked up at a stand and afterward changed the appearance by altering the handle bars and seat to make it look like somebody else's machine. Despite these efforts at disguise, however, the wheel was readily enough recognized by its owner and a warrant was sworn out for the arrest of Haskell on the charge of grand larceny. Deputy District Attorney Barbour watched the case for the people. The youth, under cross examination, admitted taking the wheel, and when asked for the reason of doing so, replied, "Because it stood there and nobody seemed to want it. The bike looked lonely." He was then asked whether he meant to steal it and replied in the negative, but when asked why he changed the handle bars and seat, and tried in other ways to disguise the machine, he replied, "Why, so that the other fellow would not know it when he saw it."

He was held to answer and will probably come up before the Juvenile court.

The boy stated yesterday that he was not guilty of other thefts, as stated, but was willing to admit that he had been in trouble before. He seemed quite indifferent to what became of him, and murmured that he was "just about tired of living," and other things. The boy's mother is an accomplished woman who runs a small school in San Francisco. The prisoner was a good lad up to a few months ago, when he began to run wild and "got into trouble." It may be decided to place him under the care of the parental school for a time to see if something cannot be done to him without resorting to the necessity of sending him to serve a term in prison.

Long Term as Adult.
With the threat of 180 days ringing in his ears, Bacon Romero, a suspected crook and ex-convict, who was arrested last Saturday on a vagrancy charge on suspicion of rolling a drunk, left town under the eagle eye of the policeman on boat at the Southern Pacific depot yesterday. The man had been released from San Quentin a few days before his arrest and his actions in this city were very suspicious. In giving the sentence, Judge Briggs advised him to get out of town at once.

The Others.
Among the motley bunch which turned up for judicial medicine were the usual sprinkling of hoboes. They were handed out sentences ranging from twenty to thirty days, and in most cases had the chance to leave town in a hurry to escape jail. The tramps were named M. Clark, Wm. Johnson, John Doe, M. Windsor, J. Adrain, L. Drexell and A. Atkinson.

For being drunk and disorderly Louis Henry found himself up against the choice of paying \$5 or serving five days in jail. The same thing happened to Arley McFadden, because he disturbed the peace. His companion in trouble, W. M. Rudolph, was turned loose on suspended sentence.

PRICES CURRENT

CHICAGO.—Sentiment in the wheat pit was bearish all day and local longs sold steadily. Receipts in the Northwest have increased materially during the last few days, weather in the spring territory is favorable for the movement of the crop and reports from the Southwest declare that the conditions there are excellent. The close was weak. December opened 74 1/2¢ to 74 3/4¢ lower at 74 1/2¢ to 74 3/4¢, and then declined to 73 1/2¢ to 73 3/4¢, final quotations being 73 1/2¢ to 73 3/4¢.

The corn market was steady early in the day on active buying of December by a leading short. Later, however, the market weakened along with wheat, but prices showed slight losses. December closed a shade lower at 42 1/2¢.

Oats were weak all day. December closed 4¢ lower at 32 1/2¢ to 32 3/4¢. An unexpected increase in the receipts of live hogs weakened the provisions market. At the close January pork was off 10¢; lard down 7 1/2¢ and ribs 5¢ lower.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 16.—Wheat quiet; December, \$1.24 1/2 bid; cash \$1.25. Barley quiet; December, \$1.06 1/2 bid; cash, \$1.07 1/2.
Corn quiet; large yellow, \$1.35 to 1.40. LIVEPOUL.—Toose. Wheat, December, 65 1/4 bid; March, 65 1/4 bid. Weather fine.

BOSTON.—The wool market is moderately active and conditions are considered generally satisfactory. The large mills are operating steadily. Average transactions are about 75,000 to 100,000 pounds. There is steady movement in fleece wools.


ST. LOUIS.—Wool steady; territory and western medium, 23 1/2 to 24; fine medium, 18 1/2 to 19; fine, 14 to 15.

NEW YORK.—Sugar, raw, steady. Fair refining, 3 1/2¢; centrifugal, 96 test, 4¢; molasses, 3 1/4¢. Refined steady; crushed, 5 1/2¢; powdered, 5¢; granulated, 4 1/2¢.

WINDHAM GLACIER PUSHES FOREST INTO THE SEA.

SEATTLE, Oct. 16.—The Windham glacier in Taku inlet on the southern coast of Alaska is reported to have become suddenly active and has pushed its way through thousands of tons of sand and gravel and now extends to tidewater. For years there has been a moraine covered by a miniature forest in front of the face. Masters of vessels returning from Skagway say that the inlet is now full of ice and trees, supposed to be from Windham glacier.

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SQUELCH THEM QUICK!

It was of course a mere piece of impertinence to defy the slot-machine law the day after the city trustees had refused to repeal it, and to choose the most prominent corner in Fresno for this public exhibition of contempt for its laws. But the impudence of the performance is the very thing that makes its summary suppression imperative. It may not be necessary that every law be enforced every instant, on everybody; but if any person forces the issue, by publicly and defiantly violating a law, for the express purpose of bringing that law into contempt, the issue must be met so promptly and so vigorously as to leave no doubt at all of the power of the law. This is the exact situation in regard to this slot-machine law, and for this reason, irrespective of anybody's opinion of the merits of the law itself, there is nothing to do but to prevent the reappearance of the machines, even for a single day. It is ridiculous to talk of a "test case." We had that, long ago, and both Superior judges decided that the chief of police was right in summarily seizing the machines, wherever found, and that no proceeding looking to their return would be sustained by the court. This is the law, until it is overthrown, and no man has a right to suspend the operation of a law merely by raising a "test case" in regard to it. It is a common notion of the lawless classes that no enactment is a law until the Supreme court has sustained it. On the contrary, every enactment is a law until the courts overthrow it. Pending determination the law must be obeyed, not suspended. The Appellate court has not decided that these slot machines are not "against the law." On the contrary, it has decided that they are not against a certain state law, because of the omission of the word "thing" from that state law. The missing word is expressly included in the Fresno city ordinance, and the machines are therefore, as much as ever, a violation of that ordinance, while the only doubt of the constitutionality of the ordinance is removed by the decision, that the state law does not cover the subject. There is nothing to "test." And, if there were, the law as it stands would have to be enforced, pending the determination.

There may be forty ways to enforce this law; we do not know. But there is at least one way, that is known to work—the method by which the machines were finally suppressed in Fresno, and by which they were suppressed everywhere else in California where the suppression was effective. So long as it is known that this method will work, no other method is entitled to consideration, unless that method will work, also. And certainly, so long as one method is known to be effective, no possible failure of any other method could be accepted as an excuse for giving up the effort to enforce the law.

The machines must go, instantly and permanently. Not one of them should be tolerated in sight for a single minute, operated or not operated. Under the decisions, the mere presence of the machines is a violation of the law, and the police are authorized to suppress them, wherever found, without waiting for any formalities whatever. Simply carry them off and lock them up in the city clerk's vault. Against such summary power as that, even the most impudent of law-defiers is helpless.

WHAT IS A DEMOCRAT?

It is becoming increasingly difficult to determine just which of the chaotic fragments masquerading as the Democratic party is the real article. In California, the Secretary of State has decided that the Bell Democracy is Democratic, and the Hearst Democracy of Langdon is therefore a rank and hostile outsider. In New York, on the other hand, the Supreme court has decided that Hearst Democracy is the only pure brand, and that only the eight newspapers which alone, in all New York, support Hearst are entitled to receive election advertising as Democratic papers. But last night, in New York, the general Democratic committee of Kings county openly repudiated Hearst and adopted resolutions denouncing him as not a Democrat. All this confusion of official determination, added to the fact that Bryan, in the name of Democracy, endorses Hearst, while Bell of California and the Illinois leaders denounce him as the enemy of Democracy—all these things leave one seriously puzzled to discover which really is Democratic.

In platforms and principles, the middle is still worse. In California, the Democrats nominated Anti-Hearst Bell on a rabid Hearst platform, in which neither he nor they believed. In New York the Democrats nominated Hearst on a platform which denounced all Hearst's doctrines, and which promptly repudiated. The Democratic party now stands for radicalism and reactionism, for free silver and the single gold standard; for extreme individualism, with as little government interference as possible, and for semi-socialism, with the government in everything; for the inviolability of State's right and for the violation of them; for government ownership, and the private ownership of railways; for and against railroad rate regulation; for prohibition and free whiskey; for protection and free trade; for imperialism and anti-imperialism; for and against municipal ownership; and on both sides of neither of almost every other public issue. There is really only one thing on which Democrats are united. That is Roosevelt. They are on both sides of most of them. His policies, but they all swear by him as a leader, and proclaim themselves his supporters. Divided on everything that might constitute them Democrats, the members of the Democratic organization are united only in the one thing which constitutes them Republicans. Verily, 'tis a queer middle.

A MODEL GAMBLING LAW.

This is the Illinois law against gambling (Revised Statutes, Sec 1845):

"Whoever shall play for money, or other valuable thing, at any game with cards, dice, checks, or at billiards, or with any other article, instrument or thing whatsoever, which may be used for the purpose of playing or betting upon, or winning or losing money, or any other thing or article of value, or shall bet on any game others may be playing, shall be fined not exceeding \$100 and not less than \$10."

That is something like it! The only good law against gambling is a law against gambling. Half the trouble with gamblers in California is due to the attempt of our state law to distinguish between gambling that is gambling and gambling that is not gambling. This law seems even to have confused the minds of many people on a perfectly simple matter. A very intelligent man, the other day, referring to a well-known Fresno gambler who is now practicing his profession in another part of the country, said, "Yes, he was gambling all right, for a while, but now he is running draw poker." Of course draw poker is gambling, just as much as "stud horse" poker. The only difference is that the state law prohibits the one and permits the other. The Fresno ordinance prohibits both. And experience shows that only a law prohibiting both will prevent either. Both will be run under a law permitting one. And both are gambling, one "legal" gambling and the other "illegal" gambling, under the state law. The state law ought, like the Illinois law, prohibit all gambling. And, pending the adoption of such a law, all the cities ought to have ordinances prohibiting all the gambling which the state law now permits.

ROBBERS CUT TRAIN IN TWO

Compelled Men To Uncouple Express Car.

Made Bungling Job at Dynamiting Safe and Secured Only \$60.

LEADVILLE, Colo., Oct. 16.—Two armed men boarded the engine of the D. and R. G. passenger train No. 5 at Malta today, and, at the point of revolvers, compelled the engineer and fireman to uncouple the express and baggage cars. They then forced the engineer to pull the cars several miles up the road. When the train stopped the bandits went to the express car and covering the messenger with their weapons, attempted to blow open the safe. They only succeeded in securing about \$60.

The second section of No. 5 was three hours late in leaving Leadville. It was in charge of Conductor Conway and Engineer Campbell. When the train reached Leadville Junction, two masked men climbed over the tender and, covering the engine men with revolvers, ordered them to stop the train. This was done, and one of the bandits marched the fireman to the express car, which he ordered uncoupled. This was done so quickly that the rest of the train crew were not aware of what had happened. The fireman and the bandit then leaped aboard the car and pulled up the track. When passing Alder station, the conductor of a waiting freight train noticed the flying train and, suspecting something wrong, notified the local agent.

Meantime, the engine and the express car sped up the track for about two miles. It was halted and the robbers forcing the engine men to walk in front of them, ordered the express messenger to open the door, threatening him with death. One of the robbers attempted to dynamite the safe, but the job was a bungling one, and it is stated that all the money secured was about \$60 in loose packages.

A posse of eleven men, headed by Sheriff O'Mahoney, is in pursuit of the bandits, whose description tallies with that of the two men who blew open a safe at White Sulphur Springs in Summit county a few nights ago.

CRUISER CALIFORNIA ON GOVERNMENT RUN

Confidently Expected To Make As Much As Twenty-three Knots An Hour.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 16.—The cruise California, under the piloting of Captain George H. Harvey, will go on the heads Thursday or Friday for her government run of four hours. On board will be the official naval board and representatives of the Union Iron Works.

Since her return from Santa Barbara a few days ago, the cruiser's engines have been put in first-class condition, and no fear of a repetition of the accident that occurred on her last trial is felt. The California is confidently expected to make nearly twenty knots an hour on her four-hour endurance run.

SAN DIEGO, Oct. 16.—It was learned today that Rudolph Ulrich, who died in this city Sunday, was the noted artist of that name whose work was conspicuous at the Chicago exposition, and the San Antonio St. Louis exposition. His death occurred at the National army barracks. He was 65 years old and leaves a sister in Brooklyn.

ROBBED WHILE COUNTING COIN

Woman Relieved of One Hundred Dollars.

Pet Dog Attacked the Highwayman As He Was About to Strike.

OAKLAND, Oct. 16.—Shortly before 6 o'clock this evening Mrs. Wm. Betts was held up in her own home at 5410 Wheeler street by an armed highwayman, who robbed her of \$100. Mrs. Betts was seated at a desk in a front room, counting her money, and waiting the arrival of her husband. When she saw the robber enter the door she started to slip \$30 into her bodice. After the robber got the remainder of the coin, he demanded the ring and bracelet she wore. The ring was a wedding ring and the woman tore it from her finger and threw it through an open window.

"You... I'll kill you," said the desperado, as he raised the gun to strike. A pet dog attacked the robber and Mrs. Betts fainted. A few minutes later her husband arrived and found her on the floor.

PREPARING FOR STRIKE

Disorder Looked For On Commemorative Anniversary.

Russian Government Will Soon Build Battleship of Dreadnaught Type.

ST. PETERSBURG, Oct. 16.—Rush orders were issued today by the minister of interior and ways and communications for establishing military guards on all trains, equipping punitive trains and constructing special guard houses at the entrance to all stations. The order requires that the preparations be completed in a fortnight, that all may be in readiness to prevent outbreaks during the strike that is scheduled for Oct. 30th, the anniversary of the imperial manifesto granting a measure of self-government to the people.

The admiralty has determined to build a battleship of the Dreadnaught type. In order to overcome Minister of Finance Kokovoff's refusal to supply him with funds, Vice Admiral Briloff, minister of marine, has appealed directly to Emperor Nicholas, who will brush all obstacles aside and order M. Kokovoff to transfer to Admiral Briloff \$9,000,000.

General Sollogov, governor general of the Balkans, will be removed on account of his failure to restore tranquility and because of complaints of the German nobility that there have been reports of the outrages on German subjects there.

A special session of the council of ministers has been called for the purpose of dealing with the complex university crisis in Moscow, where the energetic prefect, M. Reinhold, in addition to forbidding meetings on and patrolling of the campus, today rejected a petition of the university authorities to allow the foreign special agents to reside in Moscow, thus driving 150 of them out of the city.

RULE WORKS AN INJUSTICE

Officers' Families Should Get Special Rate.

Union Pacific Official Comments on Recent Ruling of Interstate Commission.

OMAHA, Oct. 16.—In commenting upon the press dispatches from Washington, giving the substance of a series of orders issued by the interstate commerce commission, relating to the construction of section 8 of the recently amended interstate commerce law, E. L. Lomax, general passenger agent of the Union Pacific, said:

"We have not received an official ruling yet from the interstate commerce commission covering these matters, but have no doubt that the new law in Washington is authoritative, and has within a day or two we will receive from the commission circulars embodying their rulings."

"I regret to note that they have decided that the provisions of the act prohibiting the issuance of free or reduced rate transportation to army and navy officers, members of their families, or the families of the clergy. The Union Pacific, with its related lines, has maintained the position that it is not an unjust discrimination to grant half rates to these classes, although it is true that other carriers have taken a different view. In fact, I think the Union Pacific and its connections are the only roads that have made half rates to army officers and families and families of the clergy since the new law took effect. Each time an army officer is transferred, he is obliged to defray the expenses of moving his family from his personal funds, and since we have acquired our insular possessions these transfers seem to be remarkably frequent and involve long journeys where the railroad rate is expensive."

"This business is not competitive, and it is a disappointment that the commission has made a ruling which will require us to discontinue the present practice. The same statement is true of the families of the clergy, who are moved about as frequently as army officers."

VOLUMINOUS INDICTMENT

Standard Must Answer 1524 Charges.

Fines In Case of Conviction Might Run As High As Thirty Millions.

JACKSON, Tenn., Oct. 16.—The grand jury at the special term of the U. S. district court, Judge John E. McCall presiding, today returned a voluminous indictment against the Standard Oil company of Indiana. The charge is the transportation of several carloads of oil at rates discriminatory in favor of the Standard Oil Company of Indiana. Alleged shipments for the past three years are covered.

The indictment contains 1,524 counts, each count constituting a separate offense. The maximum penalty for each is \$20,000 fine and the minimum is \$1,000. The maximum total fine upon conviction would reach \$30,480,000; the minimum total would be \$1,524,000. The indictment contains about 500,000 words.

The indictment is the outcome of the investigations made by Commissioner Garfield of the bureau of corporations, department of commerce and labor, and deals with that part of Garfield's report which he calls "The Grand Junction case." This was an alleged secret arrangement whereby it is charged, the Standard was enabled to ship oil from Whiting, Indiana, to the south, especially South Carolina, Tennessee, Georgia, Mississippi and Alabama, at a rate much lower than the minimum legal tariff by a combination over four or more roads and by way of obscure junction points, of which Grand Junction was one.

GRAY WELCOMED IN PHILIPPINES

MANILA, Oct. 16.—General Harrison Gray Otis of Los Angeles and a party of tourists have arrived in the Philippines and are now being entertained by the citizens of Manila. Governor General Smith, at a reception tendered the party, made an address asking the aid of General Otis and party in securing the passage of a Philippine tariff bill at the next session of congress.

BROUWER CASE NEAR A CLOSE

Strong Testimony for the Defendant.

Three Physicians Declare Symptoms Were Those of Ptomaine Poisoning.

TOMES RIVER, N. J., Oct. 16.—When the court adjourned this afternoon, at the trial of Dr. Frank L. Brouwer for the murder of his wife, all the testimony was in and it only remained for counsel to sum up, and the judge to deliver his charge before the case would go to the jury.

Dr. J. M. Forman was called today for the defense and examined at length. He said that there was not a single symptom in Mrs. Brouwer's case that could not be ascribed to ptomaine poisoning.

He admitted that he had told Miss Lippincott and Miss Dudley, one of the nurses who attended Mrs. Brouwer, that they were talking altogether too freely about the case, and that their conduct was unprofessional and might do them harm.

Dr. Forman denied that he had told anyone that Mrs. Brouwer's death had been caused by Bright's disease. Dr. I. H. Hance of Lakewood, in answer to a hypothetical question, gave it as his impression that death was the result of ptomaine poisoning. Dr. George W. McMillan of Lakewood made a similar reply to the same question.

AUTO STRUCK TROLLEY POLE AND EXPLODED

Four Passengers Badly Burned and Two of Them May Die.

CLEVELAND, O., Oct. 16.—An automobile running at high speed on Detroit avenue N.W. struck a trolley pole at Kenilworth avenue in Lakewood, a suburb early today and exploded. Everyone of the four occupants of the car was injured and two may die. The injured are: Miss Anna Schmittell, burned about the arms and body; right arm fractured; Miss Hulda Arkenman, burned about arms and neck; condition critical; Benjamin Canina, burned about the head and hands; George Hartman, right eye gouged out, skull fractured, condition critical.

The car was owned by M. J. Man. Following the traction owner and banker. According to Canina, who was driving the machine, something went wrong with the machinery. The car suddenly swerved from the roadway and struck the trolley pole.

The collision and explosion seemed to be simultaneous. The fifteen gallons of gasoline in the reservoir of the machine let go with a roar and enveloped all four persons in flames.

LOS ANGELES MERCHANTS AFTER NEVADA MARKET

LOS ANGELES, Oct. 16.—Incident to their purpose of entering the Nevada gold camps as a market, the business men of this city will send a solid trainload of Los Angeles products over the Las Vegas and Tonopah railroad on its opening day, Oct. 19. It is understood that this preliminary is to be followed by an active canvass of the Nevada fields. By way of an illustration of the activity and permanence of their camps, the principal men of the new mining district will send an exhibition trainload of gold ore over the Las Vegas & Tonopah about Nov. 1st through to Los Angeles.

Today's Groceries

Parker's Cookies, pkg.	8c
Pomeroy Washing Powder, pkg.	8c
California Cheese, lb.	14c
Ben Davis Apples, lb.	3c
Jell-O, pkg.	8c
Bananas, dozen	25c

THE HOUSE THAT BUILT YOU MONEY

WINTER-OUTSTANDING

Bazaar Specials

50c Java Powder	35c
50c Eau de Cologne	45c
Hinds' Honey and Almond Cream	45c
35c Side Combs	25c
35c Hair Brushes	25c
35c Dressing Combs	25c

A Great Embroidery Sale This Morning at 9 O'clock! 50c Values for 10c a Yard

We haven't been able to display them in a window on account of other attractions, but we assure you today's sale will be worth a hurried trip to the Big Store this morning.

Selling begins at 9 o'clock—beautiful Nainsook and Cambric embroideries, from 3 to 5 inches wide.

Regular values up to 50c; special today only, 10c yard.

Ladies' 75c Gown 39c

Just for today.

Ladies' fine new flannelette gowns, in all sizes and all colors.

Regular 75c values as an extra Wednesday special, for 39c.

Ladies 75c Underwear 54c

Fleece-lined vests and pants and union suits, in grey and white, silk taped.

Regular 75c sellers; today for 54 cents.

50c Ribbons 24c

Fancy silk Persian and Dresden ribbons 4 to 8 inches wide.

Regular values up to 50c; special today, 24c yard.

Ladies' \$7.50 Hats \$5.38

Beautiful styles in velvet-trimmed with wings, fancy feathers and ribbons.

Regular \$7.50 values, selling now for \$5.38.

Big Event in the Bargain Basement Saturday! Wait!



Picturing Another Of Our Special \$15 Fall Suits for Men

We're selling lots of them these days to men who ordinarily pay \$18 and \$20 for their suits.

There's a reason?

Ladies' 50c Aprons 39c

Fine quality gingham aprons; special today for 39c.

More New Gloves

Plenty of 10-button length gloves in silk and glace; all sizes.

Table Covers, 65c

Tapestry table covers, 4-4 size; satin finish, fringed; in red and gold and green and gold.

Special values at 65c.

Table Covers \$1.35

6-4 tapestry table covers; nicely fringed; three color combinations in several pretty patterns.

Priced at \$1.35.

Rugs 79c

Good rugs, 20x34 inches; reversible; just the right size to use before wash stand or dresser.

Special today.

Wanted—Salesladies for Our Bargain Basement. Apply this morning.

SOCIALISTIC EXPERIMENTS

In the dawn of history we find a Socialistic experiment which seems to have made a great impression upon the world of the period. It is that institution, which gave an impulse to communism and socialistic movements, and which has been the cause of many wars and revolutions. This condition of affairs lasted five centuries, and was finally terminated by the insidious introduction of gold and silver, which speedily wiped all that the institutions had accomplished in the way of good. In the time of Agis these metals began to find their way into Sparta, and with them all the mischiefs which attend the inordinate desire of riches. Lysander is charged with this undoing, "for by bringing in rich spoils from the wars, although himself incorrupt, he yet by this means filled his country with avarice and luxury and subverted the laws and order of the Spartans."

We may believe as much or as little as we please of this remarkable story; but it is quite certain that some powerful influence was at work in antiquity which gave an impulse to communism and socialistic movements. The prevalence of the common table was widespread, many different states having the institution in some form or other. There is ground for the belief that in the days before the Tarquins the Romans were more or less infected with socialism, and Numa, in the estimation of some, fills a place in history such as that accorded to Lycurgus. In later times the people of Rome became strongly individualistic, but then was always a pronounced undercurrent of socialism. It had force sufficient at one time to cause the formation of a commission which was to visit Greece and study the institutions of Lycurgus, but the proposition came to grief. In the second century before Christ there was a marked revival of socialistic tendencies, which was ruthlessly crushed out by the Roman authorities, who were always in dread of the effects of such beliefs on their institutions. Their hostility to Christianity was largely influenced by this fear, and it was well founded, for the strong predilection of the Romans to take up the new religion, which, in its earliest form, was both communistic and socialistic in its practices, as well as its teachings, with the result that pagan institutions were subverted. There was at least one emperor who clearly understood the causes that were undermining his authority, and he attempted to counteract them with a socialistic experiment, which proved a failure.

In all the experiments of antiquity, and even of the Middle Ages, and of the times of the Reformation, in order to make it work successfully socialists must sever their relations with the rest of the world, as the Lacedaemonians were said to have done in the time of Lycurgus, and when his institutes operated; and that there must be a body of helots to do the mean work, so that the citizens can get the full benefit of the system which seems to be devised for the select few rather than for all the workers in a community. Even under such favorable circumstances all the experiments sooner or later come to grief, thus proving that they were not adapted to the needs of the world and fallible human nature, no matter how cunningly they are viewed through the media of a long-bowling for something better. —San Francisco Chronicle.

Yacht Towed Into Port.

SANTA BARBARA, Oct. 16.—The yacht Royal was towed into this port this evening by a power launch, which was sent to its assistance on receipt of an urgent message from Catalina, where the Royal had put in after encountering a heavy squall off Point Concepcion last Friday, in which a sail or lost his life. The Royal, recently purchased in San Francisco by E. H. Laubersheim and W. T. Kraig of Los Angeles.

COLONIST RATES ARE REPEATED

Transcontinental Roads Have Now Brought Fully 25,000 Persons To State During Season.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 16.—The colonist rates that have been in effect since Sept. 1st, were repealed today by the officials of the Southern Pacific and the Santa Fe, and the season is practically ended. It has been most successful in all ways and the railroad officials are pleased with the reports. It is calculated that fully 25,000 people have been carried into California since the rates were granted.

The Lines of Merchandise

Which we carry in stock are all of the highest class jewelry and silver character.

This does not mean that they are the highest price. Our view of the markets is such that we can show you this year the best pick from this country and Europe. Things that we believe suit Fresno best.

WARNER'S

The oldest jewelry and optical house in the valley.

1929-31 Mariposa St.

GREAT Special Sale

Of Men's Fine \$3.50 Dress Shoes at \$2.85. Latest style lasts. All leathers.

Better look this up.

Philadelphia Shoe Store

Near Court House Park.

Freeman's special tamales and enchiladas, 943 J.

To those who are not acquainted with the standard and excellence of the Hart, Schaffner & Marx's clothes, we beg to make the qualified statement that no other ready made garments contain the high standard of tailoring which is worked into these custom clothes

A PREMIUM STAMP WITH EACH \$5 YOU BUY
HART, SCHAFFNER & MARX
FRESNO'S DAYLIGHT STORE

Ladies' Hosiery and Underwear

Ladies' Black Hose 12 1-2c
Ladies' fast black seamless hose of fine gauge mako cotton; nicely fashioned. Special ... **12 1-2c**

Ladies' 25c Hose 14c
Ladies' 25-gauge fast black mako cotton hose; well fashioned; good heavy quality cotton; 25c value ... **14c**

Ladies' Fleece Lined Hose 20c
Ladies' heavy fleece lined hose; fast black; seamless; in excellent 25c quality ... **20c**

Ladies' Fleece Underwear 50c
Ladies' fine or heavy ribbed fleece lined vests and pants; silk taped; in white or cream. Special ... **50c**

Ladies' Union Suits 50c
Ladies' ribbed, fleece lined cotton union suits; open down front; in white or silver grey. Special value ... **50c**

Ladies' Knit Corset Covers 25c
Ladies' fine knit corset covers of best mako cotton; long sleeves; all sizes. Special ... **25c**



Two Coat Specials Today

\$10.50 Tweed Coat \$7.50
Ladies' long coat of mixed grey tweeds finished with tailor straps and fancy buttons with patch pockets; a \$10.50 garment; special ... **\$7.50**

\$13.50 Plaid Coat \$10.50
Ladies' long coat, in grey and brown plaid effects; strapped down back and front, with double patch pockets; \$13.50 value; special ... **\$10.50**

Four Good Items From The Dress Good Sale

All Wool Tricot 25c
Although prices have advanced on all dress fabrics, we are giving our patrons the advantage of our early buying. 25-inch all-wool tricot in all the season's latest coloring ... **25c**

Yard Wide Striped Wool Suitings 50c
36-inch extra fine all-wool striped sacking in best shades of red, tan, grey, green, mode, wine and black; a soft, warm fabric ... **50c**

36 Inch Wool Flannel Suitings 40c
36-inch all-wool flannel suitings in solid colors, grey, navy, green, wine, bottle, red, brown and grey and black mixtures ... **40c**

54 Inch Repellant Cloth 60c
An excellent quality 54-inch repellent cloth, in best shades of bottle green, wine, brown, navy and dark mixtures; 54 inches wide ... **60c**

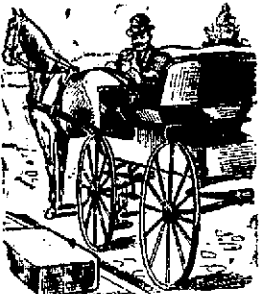
Special Values in New Furs

Sable Coney Boa \$4.98
Ladies' long double fur boa made of fine quality sable coney in dark brown shades, with long cord and tassel fastenings, with silk ornaments finished with sable tails ... **\$4.98**

Sable Opposum Boa \$10.50
Ladies' long boa of sable opposum fur in blended shade of brown, with long cord and tassel fastenings and silk ornaments, natural sable tails ... **\$10.50**

Isabella Fox Boa \$7.50
Ladies' long double fur of fine quality, Isabella fox in light and dark brown, long cord and tassel fastening and large natural tails ... **\$7.50**

Ermine 4-in-Hand Scarf \$3.00
Ladies' four-in-hand scarf made of ermine fur, silk lined, trimmed with the natural tails, 54 inches long ... **\$3.00**



The Wagon Counts, Too

Don't imagine that your horse does it all—the vehicle cuts very much of a figure in driving for pleasure or on business—and the horse knows it. Make it easy for him, and so for yourself, by getting an easy running rig from our big stock of "transportation facilities."

PRICES:
Meyer Road Wagons \$100
Anderson Road Wagons \$50 to \$75
Dunlap Road Wagons \$50 to \$75

FRESNO AGRICULTURAL WORKS



Faucets out of Order?

Does the wash basin pee! any fixing? Toilet in good order? Every week place should be given prompt attention at the first ailing symptom.

Send for Us.

and you will be sure of a permanent cure of the trouble. You'll find it much more economical to make small repairs before they become a serious mishap.

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THE FRESNO MORNING REPUBLICAN

WEATHER

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 16.—Forecast: San Joaquin valley—Fair Wednesday; light north wind.

FRESNO, Oct. 16.—Official readings at 5 p. m.:
Temperature, Dry bulb 71
Temperature, Wet bulb 58
Humidity 61
Wind, northwest, miles per hour 12
Maximum temperature 79
Minimum temperature 54
Fair Wednesday.

Weather Conditions.

The pressure has decreased slightly over the eastern half of the country, with slightly higher temperature. The high which was central over New England yesterday is moving slowly eastward toward the Gulf of St. Lawrence. A shallow barometric depression extends across the southern border of the country from California to South Carolina, causing light rains over the middle Mississippi valley, Nebraska, Kansas, Arkansas, Oklahoma and Northern Texas. The disturbance reached yesterday over the South Pacific coast is moving eastward along the Canadian border, causing general rains over the coast of Northern California, also Oregon, Washington and Montana, being heaviest in the region of Puget Sound, amounting to 1.10 inches at Tacoma and 1.20 inches at Portland. The pressure is relatively high along the coast of Northern California, indicating fair, cooler weather at Fresno and vicinity tonight and Wednesday.

LOCAL BREVIETIES.

Crust Bollerfleur. Apple pie and \$1.15 per box at Hollander's.

Tally tags at the Republican. Miss Selbert, Florist, 1150 I St. Dr. Aten, Dentist, Forsyth Bldg. Sequoia Hotel and Cafe, regular Sunday dinner \$1, with wine.

Wanted.—A four or five-room house. Address K, box 5, Republican.

Flower and Sweet Pea Seed at Hubbs. Parson Co., 11 and Tulare St.

Wanted.—Board and room for students of the Fresno Business college.

Hughes Hotel. Regular dinner, 75 cents, served in American plan dining room.

It's dangerous to use inferior spectacles. Investigate Dr. Kenner's lenses, 2030 Mariposa.

Wanted.—Place for young lady to work in home for board and room. Address Fresno Business college.

R. J. McFadden was arrested by Officer Eues on a charge of disturbing the peace while drunk last night.

A marriage license was yesterday issued to Benjamin Oren, aged 40 years, and Ethel Gibson, 25, both of Lemoore.

William Johnson and Harry Smith, tramps, were arrested last night as they were getting into the Owl. They looked tough characters.

K. of P. notice. Next regular meeting will be of special interest to all members. A good attendance honestly requested. Social Committee.

A rummage sale by the ladies of the Christian church, beginning Oct. 15th. Donations gratefully received. 1912 Fresno St., between I and J.

A large number of Basque-Spaniards turned out yesterday morning to attend the funeral of Mrs. E. Bada, who died recently. The services were held in St. John's church by Monsignor McCarthy.

Bozo Kurtoovich, the 5-year-old son of Austrian parents, who live five miles north of the city limits, died yesterday after a brief illness from gastric trouble. The remains will be interred with the rites of the Greek church at 2 o'clock this afternoon from the chapel of Stephens & Bean.

To Members and Friends of the First Presbyterian Church.—A congregational meeting will be held Wednesday evening, Oct. 17th, at 7:30, in the church. Business of importance will be considered and full attendance is requested. By order of the Trustees and Session of the Church.

J. Harling, who works on a ranch on White Bridge road, was brought in suffering from several fractured ribs yesterday morning. He was taken to the office of Dr. Barry, who set the broken bones and assisted the injured man to a buggy which took him home. Harling stated that he had been kicked by a mule while taking a trace from the barnyard.

PERSONAL MENTION.

H. H. Wilkoff, of Berkeley, is at the Hughes.

J. Jansen, of Bakersfield, is a guest of the Hughes.

G. M. Farrell, of Merced, is at the Grand Central.

A. Thompson, of Bakersfield, is at the Grand Central.

J. R. Larue, of Merced, is a guest of the Hughes.

Mrs. W. E. G. Saunders will spend the next week in Los Angeles.

P. A. Dixon and **P. E. Bush** of Oakland are guests of the Sequoia.

T. H. Mann is registered at the Grand Central from Merced.

L. R. Prince and **H. Gould,** of Boston, are registered at the Hughes.

C. R. Haire and wife are guests of the Sequoia from San Francisco.

A. C. Barker and **R. W. Ritchie,** of Chicago, are guests at the Hughes.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. O'Brien of San Francisco, are guests of the Hughes.

Mr. and Mrs. Tenenby, of Belmont, Wis., are guests of the Igle House.

Arthur J. Hill returned yesterday from a business trip to San Francisco.

Miss Alice Dore of West Park has returned from a visit about the bay.

Mr. and Mrs. Nymann Levy returned from the bay cities last night on the Owl.

A. H. Wilson and **C. R. Parker,** of San Francisco, are guests of the Hughes.

H. L. Ward, of Laton, and **Z. L. Orant,** of San Jose, are registered at the Sequoia.

Edward L. Snell, traveling freight agent of the St. Paul railroad, is at the Hughes.

C. A. Baldwin and **L. A. Smith,** of Los Angeles, are guests of the Sequoia.

T. O. Abbott, of Seattle, is registered at the Hughes.

A. G. Wishon goes to Los Angeles tonight for consultation with L. A. Nares in regard to contemplated reclamation work in the Summit Lake country. Nares has returned from a trip to England.

Mrs. Z. H. Baldwin.
Fashionable dressmaking done reasonably. Room 28, over postoffice.

FIGHTING FOR A RAILROAD

Fish and Harriman Are To Meet Today
Illinois Central To Be Prize of Battle Royal Between Magnates.

CHICAGO, Oct. 17.—President Stuyvesant Fish of the Illinois Central railroad was in his private car at Park Row depot until long after midnight tonight. Clothed with him were J. B. Dill of New York, his attorney, and officials of the road connected with the auditing department. Fish, according to the Tribune, was laying his plans for a battle royal, which will be fought this morning at the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Illinois Central railroad.

On the Twentieth Century Limited train of the Lake Shore road, which will arrive in Chicago at 8:30 this morning, are E. H. Harriman and a party of his financial friends. They are coming to make the fight against Fish for control of the Illinois Central railroad. For a year it has been known that Harriman and his allies have been seeking control of this property. There are 550,000 shares of stock representing a capitalization of \$85,000,000, entitled to vote at this meeting. The side which controls 475,021 shares will win. It has been assumed that Harriman controls only one-fifth of the total shares of stock, but information brought to Chicago yesterday was that he has had the banking firm of Kuhn, Loeb & Co. working for and with him for some time to acquire a large share of stock and proxy that could be bought or borrowed has been secured.

Fish last night was confident that the Harriman plan would fail and the meeting showed a good majority of the stockholders in favor of continuing the present management.

President Fish was served last night with notice that suit had been brought against the Illinois Central by the Illinois State Audit company. This suit was started last week in Justice Martin's court, and the hearing is set for 11 o'clock this morning. Subpoenas have also been issued for E. H. Harriman, John Jacob Astor and Cornelius Vanderbilt, who it is understood are on the train with Harriman.

The suit is one brought by the audit company in behalf of a half-dozen downstate merchants, who allege that the Illinois Central overcharged them on freight bills and thus discriminated against them.

THIS CHINK LOAF LIKE AMERICAN HOBOES

Al Tom is an Americanized Chink who has acquired the ideas of the Occident in a perverted way. Seeing the luxurious life of the hobo of Chinatown, before they fall into the hands of the police, he decided to see the freight routes, he concluded to see how honest labor and live upon the charity of his compatriots. The other Chinamen stood it for a long time, but eventually became sick of him and his ways, and kicked to the police. Last night Officer Drenth picked the fellow up and jailed him on a charge of vagrancy.

Al Tom is the second Chinaman who has been arrested this year in Fresno on a vagrancy charge.

THESE FOR JUDGE BRIGGS AT COURT TODAY

With his week's earnings in his pockets and a desire to get out for a night's relaxation from his labors, as a ranch hand, John Monner, an old man started in to paint the town a lurid red last night. His funds outlived his capacity for whiskey and he was found lying on the sidewalk on Mariposa street before half of his wealth had been expended on the spree. He was discovered by Officer McCall and jailed on a charge of drunkenness.

J. Armstrong was out sightseeing in Chinatown and got too much drink. He was found trying to stir up a fight with a number of Mexicans when arrested by Officer Drenth on a charge of disturbing the peace.

RETURNING HUNTERS SAY DUCKS ARE PLENTIFUL

A party back from a duck shoot with the limit of twenty-five each was composed of A. G. Swanson, W. D. Crichton, Dr. J. L. Munnip, Montgomery Thomas, Ralph Woodward, J. H. Newlin and James Lewis of Camden. They went to the Johns ranch this side of Summit lake. At present it is a water farm and ducks were plentiful. Trustee F. W. Kelsky and James Bradley were here from the Firebaugh country and report the game most plentiful.

Mayor Lyon did his slaughtering about Jameson, getting a good number.

HANCOCK DENIES REPORT OF OPPOSITION TO LARUE

The Democrats at Lone Star held a well attended meeting last night. J. R. Hancock denied a report which he said was out that he is opposing La Rue's election. The two candidates for superior judge and most of the other county candidates were present. The address of the evening was made by Henry Dawson.

MATERIAL ARRIVES FOR WEST SIDE TELEPHONE

J. P. Noble, division manager for the telephone company, has received word that the material has been shipped for the West Side line. The line will be improved to Mendota and thence on to Dos Palos will be an entirely new line. The work will cost about \$14,000.

REVIVAL MEETINGS AT BAPTIST CHAPEL

Revival meetings were started last night at the Baptist Memorial chapel at Davis and Howard streets. Rev. Walter Harris, association missionary, is in charge. He will speak every night this week, beginning at 7:30.

Prof. Sholl's Dancing School.
Open Saturday night, Oct. 20, Entertainment. Class 7:30 to 8:30. Social dance 9:15 to 12 p. m. A good time and the best of order assured. Admission 50 cents. Ladies free.

USED TROOPS IN ROBBERY

Nervy Highwayman Holds Up Town Hall.
Burgomaster and Treasurer Taken Prisoners, and Then Money Disappears

BERLIN, Oct. 16.—A unique and daring robbery was committed at Cospicow, a small town, seven miles east of Berlin this afternoon. The robber in the uniform of a captain of twelve guards, met a detachment of twelve men on a street in Berlin, who were returning from target practice. He produced a forged cabinet order authorizing him to take command. The men recognized his authority and he then ordered them to march to Cospicow. Upon arrival there, they proceeded to the town hall, arrested the burgomaster and the treasurer, and took possession of the cash, \$1000. The robber detached several of his men to hold possession of the town hall for half an hour. He then rode off alone in the direction of Berlin with the money. The burgomaster and treasurer were greatly mystified at the meaning of their arrest. Upon their arrival in custody at headquarters in Berlin, they learned that the captain was a fraud and were immediately discharged. The bogus captain has not been heard from, and the police and military authorities are without any clue whatever as to his identity.

MINERS WANT LEGISLATION

Seek Cabinet Officer To Guard Interests.

Several Hundred Delegates Meet—Pardee Suggests Fraud Bill.

DENVER, Oct. 16.—The American Mining congress met in annual convention today in the Broadway theater. Several hundred delegates and many interested auditors were present at the opening. President J. H. Richards responded to the welcoming address delivered by Governor McDonald and others, after which five minute speeches were made by a number of prominent delegates and directors, including Governors Pardee of California and Cutler of Utah. After the appointment of committees, President Richards delivered his annual address. He advocated the establishment of a department of mines and mining of the federal government and the creating of a new member of the president's cabinet at its head. President Richards submitted a resolution urging the passage of such a measure by the national congress.

Another important matter to come before the mining congress is a bill recommended by Governor Pardee of California to prevent mining frauds by state legislation.

David Brinley of this city will present a district mine drainage law which will affect especially the Cripple Creek district, where a gigantic drainage system is proposed.

An attendance of fully 600 delegates at the convention is assured before its adjournment on Friday. Many papers on technical subjects of interest to the mining industry are to be read.

At the night session, President Richards read his annual report. The most important recommendation favored control of mining by the federal government through a department of mines and mining.

A resolution by a delegate from Utah was to the effect that the quotations on metals given daily by the Associated Press be accepted as the basis of settlements with smelters instead of any other. The resolution was referred to the resolutions committee.

A contest has developed for the presidency, Salt Lake having entered the field with John Bern as a candidate. President Richards intimated tonight that he would stand for reelection if his friends so wished.

MELLODY GETS DECISION OVER JOE WALCOTT

BOSTON, Oct. 16.—"Honey" Melody of Charleston was given the decision over Joe Walcott, the welterweight champion at the end of the fifteen round bout before the Lincoln Athletic club in Chelsea tonight. Nearly 3000 persons saw the contest. The men were weighed in at 145 pounds. In the first round Walcott scored a knockdown before Melody had really started up he followed him. After that Melody got in more blows and inflicted more punishment than did Walcott. Melody tried almost exclusively to land body punches.

BATTERY IS THE CHARGE AGAINST HARRY FARRELL

Responding to the complaints of neighbors of the West Side, Judge Officer Mendenhall last night went over to the scene of some live hostilities between Harry Farrell and another man. The latter was getting the worst of the encounter, and really seemed to be in offensive in the quarrel, so the police man arrested Farrell and booked him on a charge of battery. Farrell was cited to appear at court this morning and was allowed to go to his home on an order by Judge Briggs.

Died.

KURTOWICH.—In Fresno, October 16, 1906, Bozo Kurtovich, a native of Austria, aged 7 years. Funeral from chapel of Stephens & Bean at 2 o'clock this afternoon. WILLIS in Fresno, October 12, 1906, to the wife of W. J. Willis, a son.

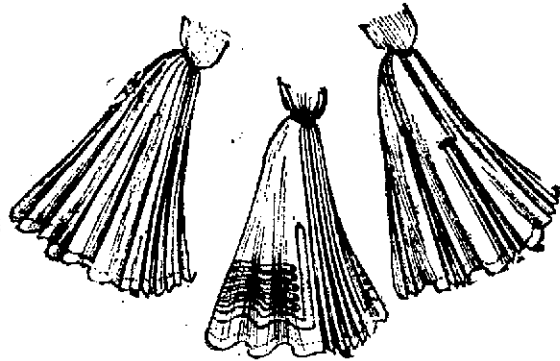
Sole Agents W. B. Corsets and Merode Underwear.

SUITS, COATS, SKIRTS

We are the acknowledged headquarters for stylish suits for ladies, Misses and children at moderate prices.

Our extensive collection of handsomely made garments of all kinds will appeal to you when seen—the best models to be found anywhere and in the most fashionable and durable materials.

Today we will lay particular stress on our new shipment of SKIRTS, all in the new pleated models and a handsome variety of nobby materials.



\$6.50 Value \$4.50

Grey invisible plaid; seven gore pleated panel front and back; trimmed with buttons; only ... **\$4.50**

\$7.50 Value \$5.50

Eleven gore pleated grey and black panama; trimmed with straps of same material; only ... **\$5.50**

\$9.50 Value \$7.50

Gray phantom plaid; navy black; pleated panel front and back; double and side pleats; fold foot trimmings; only ... **\$7.50**

\$10.25 Value \$8.00

Ten gore pleated panama panel front and back; four bias bands finished with buttons; only ... **\$8.00**

\$11.25 Value \$9.50

Grey Panama, in mixed black and navy; fancy knitted pleats to knees; straps and button trimmed; only ... **\$9.50**

\$13.50 Value \$11.00

Circular shadow plaid panama; trimmed with black velvet bands; the most stylish creation of the season; at ... **\$11.00**

These few numbers form but a small part of our immense assortment comprising everything new in skirts. Styles from the popular grey plaids and checks to the finished black voiles and panamas, at prices from ... **\$5.00 to \$22.50**

Don't forget our complete showing of extra size Skirts in black and colors, from ... **\$5.50 to \$16.00**

New Wrapper—Flannel

A heavy cotton crepe; well fleeced; in new floral and Persian patterns; dark and light; at the low price of ... **12 1-2c**

Bath Robe Cloth

Double faced, with border attached; an extremely new and warm fabric; in blue, tan, navy and red. This cloth will make the cheapest and best bath robe at per yd. ... **45c**

Silkline Comforters

Filled with fine laminated cotton; large size, 72x78; covered with a nice grade of silkline, and well tufted; each ... **\$1.75**

White Wool Blanket

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EXAMINATION OF PEABODY

Does Mutual Life Coerce Its Agents?

President Makes Denial Before Insurance Commissioner Prewitt.

FRANKFORT, Ky., Oct. 16.—Charles A. Peabody, president of the Mutual Life Insurance company of New York, appeared here today before Insurance Commissioner H. R. Prewitt to answer charges which were read to him by the commissioner.

These charges covered attempts to coerce, intimidate and otherwise influence agents of the company into collecting votes for the ticket known as the "administration ticket"; compelling salaried employees of the company to elect to the ticket; threatening employees of the company with discharge unless they loyally supported the administration ticket; discharging of several of the managing agents of the company because they or some kindred of theirs have accepted a nomination on a ticket other than the administration ticket, or because they would not support and solicit votes for that ticket; and that you have lately dismissed Colonel Blisco Hindman, late managing agent of the company in Kentucky because he accepted a nomination for trustee on a ticket other than the administration ticket, and because he refused or failed to support the candidates on the administration ticket.

To these charges Peabody entered a denial and when it came to explaining the dismissal of Col. Hindman, he said he could not have dismissed him for being on the trustees' ticket because Col. Hindman had told him that he had not accepted the nomination. Peabody stated that Col. Hindman had speedily and avowedly attacked the integrity of the management, and that the position was not consistent with a proper performance of his duties as insurance manager. It was for this reason that Col. Hindman was dismissed. Peabody then read a prepared statement, in part as follows, stating the position of the company: "The by-laws of the company state that no officers shall be members of the board of trustees.

"To comply with this by-law in the few instances where managers or agents of the company have announced the intention of accepting nominations for office, it has been necessary to terminate the contract under which such managers and agents have been in the company's service.

"No action has been taken by the commission which can properly be characterized as coercing any employee into voting or soliciting votes, otherwise than as his own free will dictates.

"The law compels the trustees to nominate a ticket described as the 'administration ticket.'

"However, no money of the corporation can be properly used in electioneering and this committee has not, and will not authorize any such use.

At the close of the statement and after some further questioning by Prewitt, he stated that a decision in the matter may not be announced for several days. Peabody's willingness to appear, although the power of the commissioner to compel him to attend was in doubt, created a favorable impression. Under a Frankfort statute, the powers of the commissioner to oust any company from the state, is absolute.

At the night session, Colonel Blisco Hindman of Louisville, the deposed general agent of the Mutual Life Insurance company for Kentucky and Tennessee, was the principal witness. He told of several conferences and had read a number of letters exchanged before his discharge. Mr. Hindman said he was asked to support the administration ticket and to write a letter affirming such action. This he declined to do. He was then called New York and told he must either affirm or retire from the company. Hindman said he considered the Mutual Life Insurance company a safe company, but he could not approve the McKinley trustees. Hindman, N. Y. of New York, recently manager of the company in New York city, gave testimony along similar lines.

MRS. E. DOWNING IS HERE.

Fresno's One Time Leading Milliner Paying a Special Business Visit to This City.

The name of Mrs. E. Downing is so closely linked with all the best that Fresno has seen in millinery in years past, that the ladies of Fresno city and county will be delighted to learn she is now making a special visit to this city. A carefully selected and beautiful line of fine dress millinery for the fall season. She does this for the convenience of many of her old customers who write to her every season, because they can try on the various styles and fit themselves for what is most suitable without any difficulty. Mrs. Downing has for years held a leading place among the milliners of this state and at present runs one of San Francisco's best millinery establishments. Her styles have always been noted for their exquisite interpretation of the latest fashions of French millinery, and her reasonable prices have placed them within the reach of every lady. Indeed, while Mrs. Downing was in Fresno, her ladies were never better "dressed" and the millinery bills were never a source of worry to the husband. Mrs. Downing has her stock and display in one of the parlors of the Grand Central hotel, where she will exhibit, it during today, Thursday, Friday and Saturday, and she extends a very cordial invitation to every lady in the city and county of Fresno to visit and inspect her beautiful display.

Intercollegiate Golf.

GARDEN CITY, L. I., Oct. 16.—The annual intercollegiate golf championship tournament began today on the links of the Garden City Golf club. Four teams of six men played the opening round of eighteen holes match play today. Cornell being drawn against Yale and Harvard against Princeton.

The Latest Syringes

Have just arrived at South Bros. Drug Store, Cor. Dean & Fore purchasing elsewhere.

DEFEATED TWO MEN

Jack O'Brien Double Victor In Twelve Rounds.

Cooley Was Easy But Tremble Made Game Fight to End.

LOS ANGELES, Oct. 16.—Jack O'Brien, of Philadelphia, knocked out two men before the Pacific Athletic club here tonight. He put out Fred Cooley, his former sparring partner, in three rounds, wholly outclassing him, and knocking him down in every round. Cooley landed scarcely a blow. Jim Tremble, a local boxer, succeeded in putting out after nine rounds of fighting. In the terms of the match O'Brien had agreed to put out each man inside of ten rounds.

Tremble fought a game fight and stayed heavily, but O'Brien's continued punching was too much for him, and the last two rounds he was very groggy. In the final round O'Brien knocked Tremble down repeatedly, but the latter took the countly each time and came up determined to stay. He fought back and landed an occasional punch on the Philadelphia lad, but he lacked force and did little damage. O'Brien did not have a mark on him at the end of the fighting.

Tremble complained of the decision of the referee in counting him out, contending that he was on his feet at the count of ten.

Some of the spectators took this view of it, and the decision of the referee was hissed. The crowd also booed and hissed O'Brien on two or three occasions, when he punched Tremble in the clinches, the men agreeing before the fight to break clean.

O'Brien was in fine form, and showed to great advantage. It was his first appearance here, and in view of his coming match with Tommy Burns in this city Thanksgiving night, his work was watched with interest. He rushed the fighting throughout, and his blows were all clean cut. His foot work was marvellously clever and he dodged many hard swings and punches.

BACK HANDED ENDORSEMENT

State Ticket Approved But Hearst Denounced.

Remarkable Position Taken By the Democratic Committee in Brooklyn.

NEW YORK, Oct. 16.—A special meeting of the Democratic general committee of Kings county, called for the purpose of ratifying the nominations made on the state and local ticket, was held tonight.

Senator Patrick H. McCarren, chairman of the executive committee, offered a resolution endorsing the platform and candidates nominated at the Buffalo convention.

Before the resolutions were voted on, Senator McCarren denounced the law of the ticket, who, he said, had halted the ticket in the county. Never within his recollection had such a situation confronted the party, as was presented in a leader refusing to recognize the ticket which he headed was certainly a novel one. It was an insult to every Democrat in the county and they would be less than human if they did not feel a spirit of resentment. He called upon all voters to resent what he termed the unjustifiable vilification of the respective candidates.

Senator McCarren continued at some length in a bitter denunciation of Hearst, who, he declared, was trying to disrupt the Democratic party in the state of California and Illinois.

The Independence League was also roundly condemned by the senator, who styled it a body organized for the purpose of blackballing the Democratic party.

When he had concluded, Senator McCarren moved the adoption of the resolutions, which were unanimously adopted.

A motion was also made that the committee express their approval of the attitude of Senator McCarren, which was done by a rising vote.

THE HEN BIRD.

Behold The Hen bird. The modest mistress of the barn yard. The great talker. The gabbler, gossip. And producer of fruit. The renowned originator of the pre-historic Omel.

The creator of the "sunny side up."

The purveyor of the rare delicacy Which accompanies "Ham and."

The celebrated inventor of the luncheon of

Indigestion known as "Hard boiled."

I salute you.

Take out my hat to you.

I have met your cold-storage children.

Ancient and modern.

Many times.

Fresh from the store they are delicious.

But lying forgotten and in disuse.

Many days they are beyond peradventure.

May your days be enlightened.

May you walk in the ways of the inspired.

And some day you may learn That the mission of true Henhood Will be fulfilled.

When you can lay a Poached egg.

On buttered toast.

Fresh Every Morning.

—John Quill in Technical World

Pianos tuned and repaired, E. H. Chubbain, 310 I. St., Phone Main 617.

MONOPOLY IN GRAIN

Inquiry Shows How It Is Maintained.

Secretary of Armour Interests Appeared Yesterday Before Commission.

CHICAGO, Oct. 16.—W. S. Jackson, former president of the Chicago Board of Trade, was called as a witness at today's session of the interstate commerce commission to testify as to the practice of owners of elevators storing grain contrary to law. He had known of cases where grain had been stored in elevators that belonged to the owners of the warehouses. In such cases, he stated, however, it was the custom to transfer the title of the grain before storing it, thus in a way complying with the letter of the law. After the grain was removed from the elevators, he asserted, it would be reintroduced to the market.

Secretary James of the Armour Elevator company and Armour Grain company, was the next witness. He said the Armour control besides these two companies the Nevada Elevator company, Milwaukee Elevator company and the Southwestern Elevator company. He said that the officers in all these companies were practically the same.

The Nevada company, he stated, leased some elevators from the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy Railroad company at the rate of \$2,500 a quarter, the railroad paying taxes, insurance and repairs.

George Marcy, president of the two companies bearing Armour's name, was the next witness. He declared that the competition for bidding on grain in the country is so keen, and there are so many combinations of men in Chicago after it, that for the time grain reaches Chicago, there is little profit in it.

When asked about the rule on the Chicago Board of Trade fixing prices to be bid on country grain, especially as to its fairness, Marcy declared it was not fair and that he voted against it. I. P. Ramsey of Ramsey & Co., for fifty years a member of the Chicago Board of Trade, then took the stand and declared that he was unqualifiedly in favor of the grain dealers' association, and in favor of discouraging farmers in the elevator business. He said it was not fair to commission men, who deal honorably, and that this state of affairs should not be allowed to go on. He concluded his testimony with the remark: "The grain dealers are the most honest men, as a class, in the world."

CHICAGO, Oct. 16.—Richard Cambrell, a Board of Trade broker, was the first witness called today when the interstate commerce commission resumed its inquiry into the methods of handling grain in the West and Northwest.

Mr. Cambrell declares that the rules of the Chicago Board of Trade are clearly in restraint of trade and are rapidly making the Chicago grain market, in the words of the witness, a "one-man proposition."

"A rule is posted on the Chicago Board of Trade each afternoon," said Cambrell, "which prevents me from going into the country and bidding for grain. That, to my mind, is detrimental to business and is in restraint of trade."

Samuel Flinn, another broker on the Board of Trade, testified that there is an agreement between certain Board of Trade men to bid certain prices for grain, and he named two firms which, he declared, are parties to this agreement. Employees of these firms were at once served with subpoenas.

President Winchell of the Rock Island road was then called to tell about the purchase of the Chicago grain market by the Rock Island Elevator company for \$1,000,000, concerning which Mr. Shafter testified yesterday.

James Pettit, president of the Peavey Grain company, testified that up to 60 days ago there was no agreement between six elevator companies whereby their profits on the storage of grain were assured them, each agreeing to refrain from taking grain from the warehouse for storage. He said that this agreement was dropped when the new rate law went into effect.

Pettit declared that the agreement between the elevator companies provided that each company should pay in 25 of 1 cent a bushel of the storage for the first ten days, the money to be kept in a fund to be re-distributed to the companies in proportion to the amount of grain in storage. Under this agreement, if no grain went out of the stores, all of the money was returned. If there were but two companies in the agreement and one allowed 100,000 bushels to be taken out, that company would get back two-thirds of the amount it had paid in, and the other company would retain one-third. Pettit declared that he was not sure whether the new rate law would permit of this agreement, and not being able to obtain a legal appropriation as to its legality, he withdrew from the agreement. Those who had been in it with him, he said, were the Armour Elevator company, Calumet Elevator company, Central Elevator company, South Chicago Elevator company and the J. Rosengarten Grain company. The witness said that it allowed the bidding of a higher price for grain in the country. A number of prominent local grain dealers have been subpoenaed before the commission tomorrow.

BOHEMIAN PROVERBS.

Do the hard things first.

It's hard to work, but harder to want.

The heart that loves must be prepared to suffer.

The world doesn't owe you living—it was here first.

Money isn't everything, but it often makes a good imitation.

A girl with a dimple will laugh at any fool thing a man says.

It is easier for the average man to keep a diary than a diary.

The only man who never made a mistake died when he was a boy.

There are two sides to every question—your side and the wrong side.

The never ages of man: Baby, Willie, William, Willie, Bill, Old Bill.

Our moods are the intervals between the comedies and the tragedies of life.

It sometimes happens that a good man's conscience does not prevent him from accumulating money.

Some people imagine that cunning and wisdom are synonymous, but cunning is as plentiful as wisdom is scarce.

It is a shock to the man who thinks that he is world-famous to discover that there are people in the next block who never heard of him.—Paul Vincent in The Holmeins for October.

LOCAL MARKETS

FRUITS AND VEGETABLES.

Lemons—30c per dozen.
Apples—25c to 30c lb.
Strawberries—box, 10c.
Pineapples—40c to 50c.
Potatoes—2 1/2 to 3 lb.
String Beans—5c lb.
Green Beans—10c per lb.
Cucumbers—3 for 5c.
Green Peppers—10c lb.
Tomatoes—3 1/2 to 5c per lb.
Radishes—2 bunches 5c.
Cabbage—2 1/2 to 3c per lb.
Horse Radish—15c per lb.
Onions—2 1/2 to 3c per lb.
Turnips—2 1/2 to 3c per bunch.
Parsnips—2 1/2 to 3c per bunch.
Squash—2c per lb.
Lettuce—3 for 10c.
Carrots—2 1/2 to 3c per bunch.
Lima Beans—10c lb.
Okra—10c lb.
Egg Plant—2 for 5c.
Cranberries—2 qts, 25c.

POULTRY.

Chickens—Broilers, dressed, 35c to 40c per lb.; alive, 30c per lb.
Chickens—Fryers, dressed, 35c per lb.; alive, 30c per lb.
Chickens—Dressed hen, 30c per lb.; alive hen, 20c to 25c per lb.
Turkeys—Dressed, 25c per lb.; alive, 30c per lb.

GRAIN.

Wheat—\$1.25 and \$1.65.
Barley—80c to 85c; 2 1/2 to 3 ton.
Egyptian corn—\$1.35 per 100.
Corn—82.00.

MILLSTUFFS.

Fresno Flour—\$1.30 to \$1.35.
Waverly Flour—\$1.40.
A 1 Flour—\$1.45.
Crown Flour—\$1.40.
Middlings—\$1.45.
Bran—5c per sack; 25c per ton.
Wheat—\$2.25 per sack; 25c and 25c per ton.

Corn Meal—3c per 10-lb. sack.
Graham Meal—3c per 10-lb. sack.
Whole Wheat Flour—3c per 10-lb. sack.

Cracked Wheat—3c per 10-lb. sack.
Out Meal—4c per 10-lb. sack.
Rye Meal—3c per 10-lb. sack.

BUTTER AND EGGS.

Creamery—75c per roll.
Dairy—30c per roll.
Eggs—30c per doz.

DRESSED STOCK.

Steer—5 1/2 c.
Veal—7 1/2 c. per pound.
Mutton—8 to 9c.

FRESH MEATS.

Beef Steak—10c to 15c; roast 10c to 15c.
Mutton—10c to 15c per lb.
Lamb—12c to 15c per pound.
Pork—12c to 20c.
Veal—10c to 20c.
Lard—15c per pound.

ARRIVAL AND DEPARTURE.

TRAINS LEAVE FOR POINTS NORTH AS FOLLOWS.

12:55 a. m.—Santa Fe for Merced, Stockton, San Francisco and way points.
2:40 a. m.—The Owl for Tracy, San Francisco.

5:10 a. m.—Southern Pacific for Merced, Lathrop, Stockton, Sacramento.

8:00 a. m.—Santa Fe, Merced, Stockton and San Francisco.

8:40 a. m.—Southern Pacific for Mendota, San Francisco and way points; connects for San Jose, and coast points.

9:55 a. m.—Southern Pacific (mixed) via Merced and Lathrop, for San Francisco and way points.

10:35 a. m.—Southern Pacific for Stockton, San Francisco and way points; connects for San Jose and coast points.

10:55 a. m.—Santa Fe for Merced, Stockton and San Francisco.

11:50 a. m.—Southern Pacific Overland for Merced, San Francisco, Stockton, Sacramento; all points East and Portland.

4:40 p. m.—Santa Fe California Limited, Merced, Stockton and San Francisco.

TRAINS LEAVE FOR POINTS SOUTH AS FOLLOWS:

3:25 a. m.—Santa Fe for Visalia, Tulare, Bakersfield and East.

6:45 a. m.—Southern Pacific (mixed) except Sunday, for Sanger, Reedley, and Porterville.

7:00 a. m.—Santa Fe for Hanford, Corcoran, Visalia and Tulare.

8:30 a. m.—Santa Fe Visalia local, arrives Reedley, 9:23 a. m.; Visalia 9:50 a. m.; Tulare, 1:20 p. m.

8:40 a. m.—Southern Pacific for Visalia, Hanford, Coalinga and Porterville.

9:35 a. m.—Southern Pacific (mixed) except Sunday, for Clovis and Pollock.

3:05 p. m.—Southern Pacific for Bakersfield.

3:15 p. m.—California Limited, Santa Fe, Bakersfield and East.

3:25 p. m.—Santa Fe for Visalia, Tulare and Bakersfield.

6:20 p. m.—Southern Pacific for Visalia, Sanger, Reedley and Dinuba.

6:20 p. m.—Southern Pacific for Los Angeles and all points East.

11:00 p. m.—The Owl for Bakersfield and Los Angeles and all points East.

TRAINS ARRIVE FROM POINTS NORTH AS FOLLOWS:

3:15 a. m.—Santa Fe Overland from San Francisco, Stockton and way stations. Fresno sleeper acc. out.

12:40 p. m.—From Mendota and way points.

2:40 p. m.—Santa Fe from San Francisco, Stockton and way points.

3:00 p. m.—Southern Pacific from San Francisco, Sacramento and coast points.

3:10 p. m.—Santa Fe Limited from San Francisco and Stockton.

6:10 p. m.—Southern Pacific from San Francisco, Sacramento and coast points.

10:25 p. m.—Santa Fe from San Francisco, Stockton and Merced.

10:30 p. m.—Southern Pacific train No. 50 from San Francisco and way stations.

11:05 p. m.—The Owl from San Francisco and way points.

TRAINS ARRIVE FROM POINTS SOUTH AS FOLLOWS:

12:45 a. m.—The Santa Fe from Bakersfield, etc.

2:25 a. m.—The Owl from Los Angeles and Bakersfield.

8:30 a. m.—Southern Pacific from Visalia, Sanger, Reedley and Dinuba.

10:30 a. m.—Southern Pacific from Bakersfield, Hanford Visalia.

10:45 a. m.—Santa Fe from Bakersfield, East.

11:35 a. m.—Overland from Los Angeles, Bakersfield, Tulare

SOCIETY

Wedding festivities in connection with the Muller-Ryan nuptials this evening continue and surely there never was a bridal party that was so charmingly entertained as this one has been. The maidens and ushers are all here, Mrs. Behrens from Los Angeles, Mr. Mettler from San Francisco and Miss McNear from San Francisco having arrived yesterday to complete the merry party of attendants at the wedding. Miss McNear and Miss Van Orsdale, another school friend of the bride who has come to attend the wedding, arrived on the Santa Fe yesterday afternoon and were met by Miss Eden and several of the other maids in the former's auto in which they were taken for a drive about the city. Miss McNear is to be the guest of Miss Eden and Miss Van Orsdale will be Miss Anne Newman's guest. After the rehearsal at the church last night Mr. Ryan entertained the bridal party at a jolly supper at the Hughes grill.

This evening the bridemaids will be entertained at a little farewell soiree, taking place from five to six o'clock tea, going from there directly to the church in time for the early 7 o'clock service.

Mrs. Woodworth and Miss Evelyn Woodworth, aunt and cousin of the bride, came down from San Francisco yesterday for the wedding and are guests at General and Mrs. Muller.

Mrs. John D. Gray returned last week from a visit of several weeks with her daughter, Mrs. Mabel Gray Lachmidt, at her cottage in Carmel-by-the-Sea, and is settled for the winter with Mrs. Adam Mowat on Milledale avenue.

Mrs. Fred Deid returned last night from Berkeley and San Rafael, where she was called a week or so ago by the death of her nephew.

Mrs. M. B. Harbo will entertain at an afternoon of "5000" today in honor of her guest, Mrs. Maurice Schilling of Berkeley.

At the attractive country home of Mrs. Charles Bonner yesterday afternoon the members of the Kaffee Klatsch were entertained in the usual pleasant manner of this hospitable home. At the end of the Sunnyside car line the guests were met with a big lay wagon which conveyed the whole merry party to the Bonner vineyard. The hostess had planned an outdoor picnic, but the weather did not permit of this sort of merry-making so the picnic was transferred to the house with quite as happy a result as the plan first thought of. In a substitute diversion for the old-fashioned quilting party Mrs. A. F. Duncan became the proud possessor of a dainty tan as a reward for dexterity. Mrs. Margaret Baird further entertained the ladies with some delightful piano music. Mrs. Baird was a visitor of the afternoon as were also Mrs. George and Mrs. Terry, Stephenson of Santa Ana. The picnic lunch was a most delectable one of true picnic abundance. The hour for returning to town came around far too soon, the guests being quite unanimous in praise of their hostess' successful afternoon.

Colonel and Mrs. William Forsythe and Mrs. D. F. Verdano have returned from their fortnight's delightful automobile tour in the north, confirmed enthusiasts. Their trip was unmarred by unpleasant mishaps and delays, and they found time to visit many delightful spots. North from San Francisco they journeyed through Napa valley and the beautiful green country, returning through St. Helena and Santa Rosa, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Gray expect soon to have a beautifully appointed new touring car in which they will be able to join in these merry jaunts about California which is the motorists' paradise.

Rev. and Mrs. L. E. Rockwell are stopping with Mr. and Mrs. A. V. L. today awaiting the arrival of their household goods, after which they will settle themselves in the Methodist parsonage adjoining the First M. E. church. On Friday evening the trustees of the church will give a reception in the church parlors for the new comers to formally welcome them to their hearts and homes. The trustees have several surprises up their sleeves which they are not disclosing until the evening arrives, consequently the members are anticipating most pleasantly the coming reception.

The Women's Alliance of the Unitarian church met for its first meeting of the season yesterday afternoon with Mrs. T. C. White. The ladies have some plans to discuss for the winter's work, but postponing the discussion until a later meeting, when more of the members will be present.

On November 15th the San Joaquin district federation will hold a one day session at Hanford, the residence of the president, Mrs. Dixon Phillips. The meetings of the state districts have all been changed to meet in the fall that the yearly reports may all be ready for the state meeting which follows closely. There was no district meeting in the spring on account of the disaster in San Francisco, all the funds being sent to the relief committee. Mrs. Robert Potter Hill, the state president from Sonoma county, will be in attendance and is expected to stop over in Fresno en route to Hanford for a brief visit to the clubs here.

The Missionary society of the First Presbyterian church met yesterday afternoon in the church parlors. Mrs. L. Wainwright was leader for the day and Mrs. Bartow had charge of the devotional exercises. The foreign subject for the day was Persia. Mrs. Mills reading an interesting article and others contributing additional items of interest in regard to the country and the work of the Presbyterian missions there. For the home mission subject, the Mormons formed the subject for an instructive reading by Mrs. Clark with supplementary items and talks by different members. Mr. Walter Olney contributed a delightful vocal solo. The social committee for the afternoon had not neglected its share of the day's entertainment, for the ladies were served with the most tempting refreshments provided by Mrs. J. C. Vaughn, Mrs. W. J. Kittrell, and Mrs. James Bonner, assisted by Mrs. Fern Vaughn and Miss Graving Haisell.

The Women's Home Mission society of the First M. E. church met yesterday

afternoon with Mrs. A. N. McLean to elect officers for the ensuing year. The first part of the meeting was given to routine matters, after which officers were elected as follows: President, Mrs. A. C. Carney; vice-president, Mrs. Henry Russell; recording secretary, Mrs. L. E. Rockwell; corresponding secretary, H. T. Hall; treasurer, Mrs. W. S. Edgerly; secretary of reading circle, Mrs. Meade. The subject for the day's mission discussion was "Utah," items of interest and short talks being made by various members.

The Wo and Our Neighbors circle of the Presbyterian church will meet this afternoon at the usual hour with Mrs. Fred Ellsworth and Mrs. Chandler as hostesses at the former's home, No. 303 M street.

Mr. and Mrs. George Swigart entertained a number of guests at their home on Fortcamp avenue on Monday night in the honor of Mr. and Mrs. Emory Tufts, who will shortly take up their residence on N street. It was an exceptionally delightful affair, the evening being spent with music and games. The most important feature of the evening was the flower game contest, in which all tried hard to win the first prize, which were awarded to Frank Smith and Miss Maud Homan, while Emory Tufts and Miss Grace Tufts carried off the bulky prizes. Refreshments were served and the merriment lasted until a late hour when all made their departure for home acknowledging a very enjoyable time. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. George Swigart, Mr. and Mrs. Emory Tufts, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Smith, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Williams, Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Chapman, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ashbury, Mrs. M. J. Chapman, Misses Emma Hushaw, Grace Tufts, Maud Homan, Lydia Briscoe, Verda Swigart and Messrs. Frank Smith, Thomas Christensen, Eddie Williams, Chester Tufts and Elmo Chapman.

MADERA MATTERS.

Mrs. A. E. Primmer, Pioneer Resident of Town, Passes Away at Her Home From Age.

MADERA, Oct. 16.—Mrs. A. E. Primmer, who passed away at her home in the Hughes addition last night, is the latest pioneer of this place to join the silent majority. A native of New York, she came here many years ago, settling in the place in which she made her home afterwards until the hour of her passing. She was 74 years of age, and leaves no children, but an adopted daughter who lives in Los Angeles has been notified and is expected here tomorrow. The funeral services will be held from the Baptist church at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon.

The funeral services of the late Henry Shuler took place this afternoon upon the arrival of the train bearing the remains. A number of relatives and friends met the car and escorted the body to the cemetery where the services were conducted by the Rev. Enos. The deceased was a veteran of the civil war and was 66 years of age.

Rev. C. C. Black and family have gone to San Jose to attend the annual conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church South, which meets in that city.

Harry Anderson, a foreman on the Kearney vineyard property in Fresno county, was in Madera yesterday looking over some spans of good mules for vineyard work.

M. J. Ladd has sold his 10-acre home place in the Howard & Wilson colony to a man named Fletcher, and will remove his family to San Francisco to reside.

George A. Clark returned from San Francisco last night, where he was in attendance during the late illness and death of his father-in-law, Henry Shuler, formerly of Madera.

Mrs. C. C. Maxwell and son, Arthur, sister-in-law and nephew respectively of the late Henry Shuler, came up from their home in Fowler to attend the funeral of Mr. Shuler today.

A lively runaway occurred on Yosemite avenue Monday evening. A horse belonging to Sam Crowder broke loose from where he was tied near the First National bank, and started west on the avenue on the run. Jack Aschworth gave chase on a saddle horse and soon rounded the runaway up.

E. P. Tuller, head ranger, came down from North Fork yesterday.

Corner R. C. Jay returned this morning from a trip to Visalia, where he was summoned as a witness in an important case.

Copthill Hollister is about again, after being confined to the house for several days on account of one of John's afflictions.

Charles J. Shlan returned this morning from a visit to Fresno, and will return to duty as a forest supervisor at North Fork tomorrow.

Miss Mary Hamilton returned to her home in Sanger last evening, after a visit of several days with the family of John Hollister at Lamo's Bridge, but returned to Sanger some months ago.

C. W. Long and wife came down from Mariposa Monday evening and went to Fresno today.

James Miller, John Dowd and T. A. Hessinger arrived from Fresno this morning and will go up to the mills tomorrow morning.

M. D. Timothy of Visalia is engaged upon some brick work at the Madera Sugar Pine planing mill and box factory.

If Andrews was in from the ranch last night.

Orto Keker is down from Coarse Gold on business.

Miss Ella Doyle of Fresno is a Madera visitor today.

NO MEDDLING IN STATES

Roosevelt Will Keep Out of Local Politics.

Declines To Interfere In Any Way In New York Situation.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 16.—In reply to a letter written to President Roosevelt by R. C. Dale of Kern county, a former assemblyman, asking if the president intended to declare his interest of preference in the state gubernatorial campaign, the following letter has been received:

"White House, Washington, D. C., October 8, 1909.

"My Dear Sir:—The president has received your letter of the first instant and directs me to express his regret that it is not possible for him to do as you desire. He has been asked to interfere in the local contests in almost every state in the union but has declined to do so in each instance. The president is sure he cannot do as you wish, but he is sure you will understand how impossible it would be for him to respond in one case and not in others.

"Very truly yours,

"RUDOLPH FOSTER,

"Acting Secretary to the President."

New Express Company.

AUGUSTA, Ga., Oct. 16.—The North American Express company has been organized for the purpose of conducting a general express business with an authorized capitalization of \$25,000,000. J. S. Berry of this city is named as president.

WHEN MARK TWAIN HAD STAGE FRIGHT

Following a musical recital by his daughter in Norfolk, Conn., Mark Twain addressed her audience on that subject of stage fright. He thanked the people for making things as easy as possible for his daughter's American debut as a contralto, and then told of his first experience before the public. A news dispatch to the New York Sun quotes him thus:

"My heart goes out in sympathy to any one who is making his first appearance before an audience of human beings. By a direct process of memory I go back forty years, less one month—for I'm older than I look!—he said, waggling his snowy head.

"I recall the occasion of my first appearance. San Francisco knew me then only as a reporter, and I was to make my bow as a singer at a lecture. I knew the hall and the theater. So I bound myself by a hard and fast contract so that I could not escape. I got to the theater forty-five minutes before the hour set for the lecture. My knees were shaking so that I didn't know whether I could stand up. If there is an awful, horrible malady in the world, it is stage fright—and sickness. They are a pair. I had stage fright then for the first and last time. I was only sixteen one, too. It was on a little ship on which there were 200 other passengers. I was sick. I was so sick that there wasn't any left for those other 200 passengers.

"It was dark and lonely behind the scenes in that theater, and I peeked through the little peep-holes they have in theater curtains and looked into the big auditorium. That was dark and empty, too. By and by it lighted up and the audience began to arrive.

"I had got a number of friends of mine, stalwart men, to sprinkle themselves through the audience armed with big clubs. Every time I said anything they would possibly guess I intended to let them down on the floor. Then there was a kind lady in a box up there, also a good friend of mine, the wife of the governor. She was to watch me intently, and whenever I glanced toward her she was going to deliver a gubernatorial laugh that would land the whole audience into applause.

"At last I began. I had the manuscript tucked under a United States flag in front of me where I could get at it in case of need. But I managed to get started without it. I walked up and down—I was young in those days and needed the exercise—and talked and talked.

"Right in the middle of the speech I had placed a gem. I had put in a moving, pathetic part which was to get at the hearts and souls of my hearers. When I delivered it they did just what I hoped and expected. They sat silent and motionless. I had touched them. Then I happened to glance up at the box where the governor's wife was—and you know what happened.

"Well, after the first agonizing five minutes, my stage fright left me, never to return. I know if I was going to be hanged I could get up and make a good showing, and I intend to. But I shall never forget my feelings before the agony left me, and I got up here to thank you for her for helping my daughter, by your kindness, to live through her first appearance. And I want to thank you for your appreciation of her singing, which is, by the way, hereditary."

High Combs Again in Vogue.

The old fashioned comb which stands high in the back hair is once more the mode in Paris. Fashion has decided that the time for its return has come.

There has been for the last six months a rage for everything Spanish in Paris. There are Spanish dishes in the menus of the boulevards and restaurants, and in the music of the halls Spanish dances are the most popular. It is to this taste for everything Spanish that the present favor for the high tortoise shell comb is attributed.

But there is also a useful phase to the revival to which investigators may well give their attention. The fantastic hats of the last two or three seasons will next winter be more eccentric than ever. They bend and turn in every direction. They are pulled up with artificial curls and puffs, which are too frail to hold the millinery firmly in place.

Nothing has been found that does this so well as the high back comb. Placed under or immediately below the back rim of one of these piles of feathers and silk felt, a comb gives a firm and permanent repose and prevents it from slaking as it is worn at any minute likely to topple over.

Women who own these high combs may now take them out of the resting place, whether it be a bureau drawer or the etagere in the parlor, to which they were long ago consigned as museum pieces. The shops in Paris are full of them, and already they are seen at the most expensive of the New York hair dressers.

They come in all styles. The perfectly plain comb has a high band at the top, and is free from carving. In this same quality of tortoise shell they may be had for \$100 if the carving is sufficiently elaborate.

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Of course, with his huge staffs of editors and artists and his plants he is also in a position to turn out a publication better and cheaper than most rivals. He is also aware of the value of old-established weeklies and monthlies for he is buying or securing an interest in a majority of them. The World, Vanity Fair, and the Observer are the latest to fall into the Harmsworth net. It is said that Punch, the humorist of British humor, has also gone to Harmsworth, but this has been also alleged denied.

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WHO URGED THAW ON?

Asks District Attorney Jerome In Murder Case.

Resists Motion That Would Prevent the Finding of Further Indictments.

NEW YORK, Oct. 16.—There was a revival of interest today in the case of Harry K. Thaw, charged with the murder of Stanford White, when, in court, District Attorney Jerome intimated that there might be other indictments in the case.

The statement of the district attorney was made in the course of an argument before Recorder Goff against the writ of prohibition, restraining the district attorney's office from further preliminary action in grand jury proceedings in the murder case. When the matter came up before Recorder Goff today, Mr. Jerome said:

"There is no fiction in this case. I am not sure that there is not another Thaw for an indictment for murder in the first degree. It does not appear where Thaw got the revolver with which he killed White. It does not appear that words were not spoken that urged him on. It does not appear that the grand jury is not investigating for the purpose of finding a superseding indictment against others."

Following the hearing, Clifford W. Hartbridge, Thaw's counsel, called upon the prisoner at the Tombs. After his visit the lawyer explained that Thaw had read the evening papers and feared from what he read of the proceedings before Recorder Goff that an attempt might be made to indict his wife or other members of the family. Hartbridge said that he had merely called to Thaw's mind at that time, as there was no danger that any other member of his family or any one connected with the family would be indicted.

The recorder at the request of Jerome adjourned the proceedings that the district attorney might obtain a formal order having the argument transferred to Judge McLean's court, where it was first heard.

WEST AUSTRALIA SECEDES FROM UNION

Legislative Assembly Votes for Measure By Nineteen to Eight.

PERTH, Australia, Oct. 16.—The legislative assembly today by a vote of nineteen to eight adopted a motion that the state of Western Australia secede from the rest of the commonwealth.

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RAILROAD CONSTRUCTION IN CHINA

The fatality which seems to attend the construction of the Canton-Hankow railway is not more remarkable than the apparent impossibility of keeping the history of that enterprise out of the region of fable. For example in a recent dispatch from Hong Kong announcing the resignation of the president of the new Chinese corporation, the American China Development company is credited with having bought the concession from original French and Belgian holders. As a matter of fact, the original concession was granted to an American citizen, and by him directly transmitted to an American syndicate. According to the misinformed authority in Hong Kong, the Chinese were jealous of the American influence that the ownership of the road might involve, though they had not feared the reverse of this is true. When the Chinese found that the concession for the road between Peking and Hankow, though nominally granted to Belgium, was really under Russo-French control, they made haste to enlist American enterprise in the work of building what was really the second section of a great central trunk line, that namely from Hankow to Canton. It was of Belgian enterprise used as a stalking horse for the aggressive policy of Russia that the Chinese were reasonably afraid, and the most effective counterpoise they could think of was the influence of the United States. It was only when the American concessionaries disposed of the road by liquidating the concession and duplicating the danger which had asserted itself in the North, that the Chinese government concluded to seize an opportunity to purchase the property rights of the American China Development company. It does not materially affect the status of the case that the company had been re-Americanized before this transaction was completed. Mr. J. P. Morgan and his associates who had bought back a controlling interest from the Belgian syndicate, and had no Chinese mind to the road except with the full consent and approval of the Chinese government.

So far there was nothing to criticize in the Chinese attitude to this business except possibly their misplaced confidence in the adequacy of native management to conduct such an enterprise to a successful conclusion. That has happened in the year which has elapsed since Chang-Chi-tung took over the Hankow-Canton railway from the American China Development company is highly instructive and has an important bearing on the future of railway enterprises in China. The parcel of land property which was in the territory of the vicerey resident at Canton was handed over to his representatives, but the property of the head office in Shanghai was taken charge of by the representatives of Kwoy Chang-Chi-tung. It was evident from the outset of taking over the affairs of the old company by two different authorities, one in Canton and another in Shanghai, that no fixed policy had been decided upon for the control of the railway. There has been a lack of fixed policy in everything which has been done since the province of the two Kwangs have acted quite independently of the provinces of Hunan and Hupoh. In Canton the merchants decided that they would build the road without official help or interference; in Hunan the gentry and officials agreed to co-operate in the work, but in Hupoh the railway was to be managed by officials alone. In the two last named provinces this agreement was all that ever took place, no work whatever having been done, or any subscriptions invited. The only way in which the people of these provinces could be brought to the railway was by the project of running through their part of the country was from the knowledge that new taxes must be levied in order to repay the loan made by Yverge Chang-Chi-tung through the Hong Kong and Shanghai bank to redeem the railway from the American China Development company.

In the two Kwangs, and their capital Canton, the case has been different. The vicerey who assumed control of that part of the undertaking desired that the merchants should raise the money necessary to build the line northward to the borders of the province of Hunan. Before a complete understanding had been arrived at in regard to the ultimate control of the road subscriptions were asked for and shares of the value of five dollars each were circulated through Canton, Hong Kong and other places where Canton merchants were found. These were subscribed for to the amount of \$20,000,000 and more shares were applied for than were on sale. An optimistic Japanese writing in the current number of the "North American Review," cites the rush of applicants for shares of the Hankow-Canton railway as a most emphatic evidence that the Chinese no longer cherish any prejudice against railway construction. He quotes approvingly this declaration of the Chinese minister at Washington: "One of the first steps toward the realization of our new national ideas would be the construction, under Chinese auspices, of a great trunk line to traverse the central and most fertile provinces of China from Canton to Peking." It looked for a little while as if this consummation might be realized. But no sooner was the money raised by the Cantonese than a stormy dispute arose as to the control of the enterprise. The vicerey, being already in charge insisted on appointing the directors of the railway; the merchants demanded in the plainest language that the officials should keep their hands off. The merchants appointed their own directors, who were promptly arrested by the vicerey as disturbers of the peace, and a special commissioner having been sent from Peking, the vicerey carried his point. But this was only the beginning of trouble, since it was very quickly discovered that the directors had no control over their financial enablement, and the construction of the railway, Yvan Shih-kai was appointed to be in vain, and it was reported that recourse was to be had to Belgian engineers. At this juncture the governor of Hong Kong intervened and indicated that if foreigners were to be employed,

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of seeing that the Hong Kong government had stood China's friend and assisted to extricate her from the tangle with the American syndicate, it seemed only right that British engineers should be asked to fill the important post. Now comes the announcement of the resignation of the president appointed by the vicerey of Canton, accompanied by his statement and the Chinese engineers, who had been put in charge of the work were incapable of building the line, and urging the engagement of English, American or Japanese engineers. Thus ends the second chapter of the Hankow-Canton railway enterprise, carrying with it a very obvious lesson which the Chinese mind can hardly fail to seize and which ought to be of the last augury for the future of foreign enterprise in China.—Journal of Commerce.

THE DOWN-HILL IN PENSIONS

Far more strikingly impressive than the fast-fading ranks of the Grand Army of the Republic, as its members go on parade at each annual encampment, are the official figures of pensioners. They are particularly interesting and significant in the report just issued. The fiscal year ending June 30th last marked, apparently, the climax in the Federal pension roll as to disbursements—although as to numbers, the climax was reached on January 31, 1905, on which date the books showed 1,004,186 names drawing war benefits from the United States government; last year the rolls carried 1,033,415 names all told, but on no single day did the record disclose so many as on the high-record date above mentioned.

The beginning of a continuously down-sliding scale in disbursements is indicated by the fact that the net decrease last year was \$12,470. That seems an insignificantly small amount in a total pension roll of many millions of dollars; but it is the largest net decrease for any one year recorded in the history of the bureau; and it is highly probable that from now on the pension appropriations will steadily decrease, unless the country becomes so warred in another war resulting in material additions to the number of government beneficiaries. During the year ended with last June there were added to the roll 33,569 new pensioners and 1405 restorations and renewals, making a total addition of 34,974; but for the same period 47,444 pensioners were dropped from the roll, of which number 43,300 died—and of this latter 43,208, or about 99 1/2 per cent, were veterans of the civil war; only 866,453 survivors of that war are now on the roll, and from now forward, more than forty-five years since Fort Sumter was fired on, death must eat into their ranks at an enormously increasing rate each year.

Compared with the pension-cost of the civil war that of the war with Spain appears to be almost trivial. Up to date the pension disbursements on account of the former have been \$3,259,195,300, while during the eight years following the close of the latter only \$15,485,355 have been paid out on account of its casualties; but the number of men engaged in the war between the States was vastly greater, the duration of the conflict about twelve times as many months and the claims growing out of it enormously in excess of those from the war of 1868. The new grants on account of the latter, along with increases in the amounts and in renewals, can never of course offset the decreases incident to deaths in the ranks of the civil-war veterans; and thus the nation's pension burden bids fair to decrease rapidly from now on, and less and less with the "soldier vote" cut any figure in our politics.

When we count the tremendous cost in dollars wholly apart from that in blood and suffering and deprivation and grief "war is hell" in truth, as General Sherman described it. But in its results every one of our American wars so far has been worth its cost a thousand fold.—New York Journal.

MIDSHIPMAN DEMERITED FOR "SAUCING" A CADET

ANNAPOLIS, Md., Oct. 16.—Midshipman R. P. Guller of Calais, Ohio, today was given 20 demerits for hazing Geoffrey D. Chevalier of the fourth class. Guller's offense was in going to Chevalier's room and applying a nickname to him. The punishment is the maximum for light offenses and is the first to be administered by Admiral Sands under the new law which gives the superintendent of the academy power to deal with cases of a mild character.

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J. M. LESLIE.

Republican Nominee.

Regular Republican Nominee.

Election, Tuesday, November 6, 1900.

For Supervisor—First District.

CHRIS JORGENSEN.

Regular Democratic Nominee.

FOR COUNTY TREASURER.

J. R. HICKMAN.

Regular Republican Nominee.

For District Attorney.

GEO. COSGRAVE.

Republican Nominee.

FOR COUNTY SURVEYOR.

H. L. WARD.

Democratic Nominee.

FOR SHERIFF.

L. P. TIMMINS.

Republican Nominee.

FOR ASSESSOR.

J. M. BRAMBLETT.

Republican Nominee.

FOR COUNTY SURVEYOR.

SCOTT McKAY.

Republican Nominee.

For Justice of the Peace.

(Third Township)

FOR CONSTABLE.

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FOR JUDGE OF THE SUPERIOR COURT.

GEO. E. CHURCH (Incumbent).

Democratic Nominee.

FOR PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR.

GEO. R. ANDREWS.

Republican Nominee.

FOR RECORDER.

R. M. BARSTOW.

Republican Nominee.

For Recorder.

CHARLES McCARDLE.

Democratic Nominee.

For Treasurer.

R. G. HARRELL.

Democratic Nominee.

For Assemblyman First District.

T. J. ALEXANDER.

Democratic Nominee.

For Judge of the Superior Court.

ALVA E. SNOW.

Republican Nominee.

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H. Z. AUSTIN (Incumbent).

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FOR ASSESSOR.

G. P. CUMMINGS.

Democratic Nominee.

For County Superintendent of Schools.

E. W. LINDSAY.

Democratic Nominee.

For Judge of the Superior Court.

N. C. COLDWELL.

Democratic Nominee.

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Democratic Nominee.

FOR SHERIFF.

R. D. CHITTENDEN.

Democratic Nominee.

For Constable of the Third Township.

JOHN W. DUMAS.

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WANTED—Salesman, L. N. L. Clothing Store, Fresno.

WANTED—A boy about 15 years old to work in a bicycle store. Gregory & Co.

WANTED—First-class window trimmer for a leading dept. store. Apply Republican office.

WANTED—A teacher. Apply to Fancher Creek Nursery, 1235 J St.

WANTED—Bright young man for collector and office assistant; salary \$30; good chance for advancement. Business Man, Box 20, Republican.

WANTED—Strong young men, good sight and hearing, for firemen and policemen on California and other railroads; experience unnecessary. Firemen \$100 monthly, become engineers and earn \$200; brakemen \$75, become conductors and earn \$150. Name position preferred. State age. Send stamp. Railway Association, care Fresno Republican.

WANTED—Man and wife on ranch; man to work, woman to cook; no children. Address 1654 J.

PEOPLE'S EMPLOYMENT OFFICE—Reliable help furnished. 1307 I St. Phone Main 2650.

WANTED—Stenographer (man preferred) capable of handling any kind of work. None other need apply. State experience; give references; salary expected. Address P. O. Box 2357.

WANTED—Seven men on Fresno City sewers. Call corner of N and Ventura.

WANTED—10 lumber piers, also 6 woodmen, 2 spool tenders. J. H. Housie, Apply 1359 K St. Phone Main 510.

WANTED—Hatch hands at \$125 per day and board. Apply Hector Burns, Patterson Block.

BONNEY'S EMPLOYMENT OFFICE, 1321 1/2 I St. Best help furnished. Phone Main 876.

AGUIRRE'S RELIABLE EMPLOYMENT OFFICE. Furniture, stock, implements, etc. bought and sold on commission. 956 J St., Fresno, Cal. Phone Main 2893.

THE Y. M. C. A. NIGHT SCHOOL offers a six months' course in any of the following subjects: Freehand, architectural and mechanical drawing, bookkeeping, penmanship, business, English, arithmetic and vocal music. Classes begin October 9th and meet two evenings a week. Good instructors are in charge and the cost is small. For particulars call at the building, 1350 I St., or ring up Main 697.

WANTED—Woodmen and mill men. Apply Sanger Stable.

WANTED—Young man 18 or 30 years old with some experience in the shoe business. Steady position; chance to advance. References. Address P. O. Box 765.

JAPANESE HELP—K. Tomita, general labor contractor, Room 22, Fiske Building, Phone Main 678.

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FOR SALE—STOCK.

FOR SALE—A fresh Jersey cow; four-gallon milk. 135 Poplar.

FOR SALE OR TRADE—For good milk cows, 3 heifer calves, cow and pig. A. B. Cunningham, Lincoln and Cal. Aves.

FOR SALE—Team of horses, 4 and 5 years old, weight 2500; price \$325. Can be seen at 412 West Ave.

FOR SALE CHEAP—11 good cows and one bull. Also cream separator. On Central California Bank Tract, 1/2 miles west of Jarrold school house. Address A. D. Schlottman, Kernman.

WANTED—To trade light team horses for mules. Main 1310, 307 San Pablo avenue.

FOR SALE—1 pair milk cows, \$70; 1 pair heavy horse cows, \$85; 1 pair scrubby mules, \$120. A few mules with foot. Club Stables, D. J. Canty.

FOR SALE—Cheap for cash, one small horse broke to ride and reins well; will make useful animal for light riding or driving; weight 800; must be sold at once. Address Owner, Box 24, Fresno Republican.

FOR SALE—A fine young Jersey cow. Inquire 208 Glen Avenue.

HORSES FOR SALE—Inquire at Fresno City Hay Market.

FOR SALE—Fresh cow, suitable for family use, call or address R. V. Henderson, Fowler, Cal. R. H. Can.

FOR SALE—A horse, about 1000 lbs., quiet, for lady or children, to ride or drive. Also a good young cow. Address P. O. Box 766, or telephone State 2132.

FOR SALE—Good buggy horse. Apply 800 Calhoun St.

FOR SALE—50 head yearling heifers; cross bred, short horn and a few others. J. W. and J. D. McCall, Ford at Wildflower, Address H. Can, Cal.

FOR SALE—47 young mules, 1 1/2 to 2 1/2 years old, J. L. Price, Madera, Cal.

FOR SALE—For cash, bugs from 10 pounds to 400 pounds, 7 cents per pound. See Gen. E. Brown, Polinsky.

FOR SALE—A No. 1 fresh cow, J. Cunningham, Elm ave., bet. Central and Washington.

FOR SALE—Span good mules; weight about 1100 lbs. Call Anderson, West, 1 1/2 miles south Fresno Wherry.

WANTED—To contract the sale of calves for six months from 25 to choice cows. F. C. Campbell, P. O. Box 1023 Fresno.

For County Superintendent of Schools.

G. N. FREMAN (Incumbent).

Republican Nominee.

HELP WANTED—FEMALE.

WANTED—Girls; experience, not required. Apply at hotchkiss.

WANTED—A good cook. Wages \$30. 918 K street.

WANTED—Experienced alteration hands on cloaks and suits. Gottschalks.

WANTED—A waitress at Fresno Bakery.

WANTED—Second girl at Burnett Sanitarium.

WANTED—A good cook and housekeeper at Mrs. C. Shannon's, Tulare, Cal. R. H. No. 1. Wages \$30.

WANTED—A girl for general housework. Apply 1618 L.

WANTED—A girl for general housework; wages \$30; steady position. Call 1416 L St., after 10 a. m.

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Apply 1045 K St.

WANTED—Middle aged woman for general housework. Good wages. Phone Red 1352.

WANTED—Sales lady; must have experience and best of references as to character and ability. Address Green Store Co., Visalia Cal.

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SAYS 5 CENT REBATE
WILL BE PROVED

Prosecution Opens Its Case Against
New York Central for Traffic
Favoritism.

NEW YORK, Oct. 16.—When the hearing was resumed today in the case against the New York Central & Hudson River railroad company and Fred E. Jones, its traffic manager, on charges of granting rebates to the American Sugar Refining company, United States District Attorney Stinson outlined the prosecution's case. He said that the government will show that on April 26, 1904, Lowell M. Shaw, acting for the shipper, and especially for the firm of George H. Edgar, of Detroit, entered into an agreement with the New York Central and Mr. Jones by which sugar could be hauled to Detroit at the rate of 18 cents a hundred, instead of the rate of 23 cents filed with the interstate commerce commission.

WILL TOW STEAMER
TO SAN FRANCISCO

The Scotia Has Been Considerably
Lightened and Is In Sea-
worthy Condition.

FURBER, Oct. 16.—Arrangements were completed today by which the steamer Vanguard is to tow the leaking steamer Scotia, which was damaged by running on the south spit at the entrance of Humboldt bay, to San Francisco. The steamers are scheduled to leave tomorrow, but it is not certain that they will be able to depart at that time, as the bar is so rough that all navigation has been suspended. The Scotia has been considerably lightened and is believed to be in a seaworthy condition.

MANY FRIENDS ATTEND
FUNERAL OF HULSE

BAKERSFIELD, Oct. 16.—The funeral of Alfred W. Hulse, the necessary of the outflow, Jim McKinney, who committed suicide in his cell in the county jail Sunday afternoon, was held this afternoon. A large number of friends of the deceased who stood by him during his trials believing in his innocence, followed the remains to their last resting place. He was a member of the Chinese Masons, Thousands of people viewed the dead man since Sunday afternoon, because of the widespread interest in the sensational crime of which he was convicted.

Julius Caesar was a man of nerve and sickness left its mark and he became aged before his time. Sickness is often caused by a torpid liver. Herbing will regulate your liver and give you health. Mrs. Curran Austin, Holton, Kansas, writes: "I consider Herbing the best medicine I ever heard of. I am never without it." Sold by Geo. H. Monroe.

MISCELLANEOUS.

HIGHEST quality white leghorn laying Wyandotte and White Leghorns for sale. W. C. Penn, 408 Poplar Ave.

NIGHT CLASS for grammar school children. Phone evenings. Mrs. Ballard, Main 2974.

THE BEST DINNER in Fresno for 20c at the Old Fresno Bakery.

POULTRY bought and sold. Dressed chickens a specialty. Ventura Cash Market, 612 J St.

WE TAKE OLD HARNESSES in exchange for new; return your old buggy top, or sell you a new top; repair your old harness, make heavy or light harness to order. Saddles, whips, robes and everything in harness and saddlery line. H. L. Chamberlain, 1923 Tulare street.

DRESSMAKING.

EXPERIENCED DRESSMAKER from the East. Miss Emma Rose, 2837 Merced St. Phone 1786 Main.

DRESSMAKER—By day. Miss Jensen, 1311 P. Phone Black 105.

MRS. BAUCOM—Dressmaking. 1047 Q St. Phone Main 2050.

DRESSMAKING—At The Wallace, room 18, 1248 J St.

DRESSMAKING—Mrs. Kate Skinner, Rooms 12, 13 and 14, Garibaldi Bldg.

MISSES EDISON—Modiste and Ladies tailoring, 1320 M. Main 2058.

WANTED—Sewing by the day, country preferred. Miss Conner, 618 E.

OSTEOPATHIC PHYSICIANS.

DR. A. I. HUNT, Osteopath. Nervous and chronic diseases. Office 2042 Mariposa St.

DR. SARAH PUGH—Lady's specialist. 161 Forsyth Bldg. Phone Main 488. Residence Main 1107.

DR. HUGH M. FRAZER, graduate of American School of Osteopathy, Kirksville, Mo. Office 200 Forsyth Building.

DR. MINERVA KEY CHAPPELL, diseases of women and children. Office 147 Forsyth Bldg. Phone M. 1240; Res. 157 Abby St., Phone Main 720.

FEED YARD.

J. KLEMM, F and Iyco. Phone Main 1715. Single rigs \$1.00 day.

FARMERS' NATIONAL BANK OF FRESNO.

U. S. Depository.
Paid up Capital.....\$150,000
Surplus and Undivided Profits.....170,000

Alfred Kutner.....President
F. E. Manheim.....Vice Pres. and Mr.
Walter Shoemaker.....Cashier
G. A. Middleton.....Assistant Cashier

Safe Deposit Boxes for Rent.

FRESNO NATIONAL BANK.

(Opposite the Postoffice).
Paid up capital.....\$200,000
Surplus and undivided profits.....90,000

Thomas W. Patterson, president; W. F. McVey, vice president; Dan Brown, Jr., cashier; A. C. Hayes, assistant cashier.

THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF FRESNO, California.

Capital Paid Up.....\$100,000.00
Surplus and Profits.....380,000.00

Safe Deposit Boxes for Rent.
United States Depository.

THREATS MADE
OF HOLY WAR

Uneasiness Grows in Morocco
and Algeria.

French Will Concentrate Their
Troops On Frontier to
Prevent Uprisings

PARIS, Oct. 16.—The humors of a formidable native rising in Morocco and Algeria are growing. The French military authorities in Algeria are in state of apprehension. The commander of the troops in the district of Ain-Sefra has called to the minister of war, saying that preparations against the Moors for a holy war are proceeding energetically. Mouly Aboud, the cousin of the sultan of Morocco, has visited all the tribes and has induced them to cease their internal quarrels and prepare to take the field in the middle of November.

A point for concentration has been chosen on the Wady Ghir, where arms are being collected. The Beni-Hadid tribes have been approached by emissaries from the insurgents at Tachla, who are urging the former to join in the movement. No reinforcements of troops will be dispatched from France to Algeria for the present. The measures to be taken will be confined to some concentration of military forces on the Moroccan frontier in order to prevent excursions from the interior.

HEAVY DAMAGES
FOR PEONAGE

Jury Finds That White Girls Were
Held In Form of
Slavery.

HELENA, Ark., Oct. 16.—The jury in the so-called peonage case, have found in favor of the plaintiff, white girls of St. Louis named Emmans and Vitt. A former named Mark, charged with enticing the girls from St. Louis and holding them in his plantation was, on complaint of Miss Emmans and Miss Vitt, indicted for peonage. The indictment, however, was found to be faulty and damage suits were instituted instead. These suits have been decided, and award Miss Vitt \$225 and Miss Emmans \$1,600 damages. Counsel for Musgrave states that he will pay these amounts.

PROFITS OF TERRORISM
DEPOSITED IN BANK

Headquarters of Polish Band Cap-
tured By Imperial Police
Force.

WARSAW, Oct. 16.—The police today captured the headquarters of an elaborate band of terrorists in which were forty-nine members of the band, who were charged with having committed many murders and robberies. It is also alleged that the band originally delivered the proceeds of their crimes to the local Socialistic organization, but becoming dissatisfied with the payment they received, they subsequently carried on business on their own account and had a bank account showing a deposit of about \$300.

REWARD FOR SENTRY
THAT SHOT PRISONER

ST. PETERSBURG, Oct. 16.—After investigating the killing of Mlle Semionova, the young medical student confined in the Central detention prison at St. Petersburg, who was shot and killed by a sentry September 10th, when she showed herself at the window of her cell overlooking the court yard, the commander of the St. Petersburg garrison, in an order of the day has thanked the soldier who killed the girl and has given him a reward of \$5. In addition the soldier, who belongs to the Semenovskiy regiment, is upheld in the order of the day as an example to his comrades of the faithful performance of duty.

MIDSHIPMAN DEMERITED
FOR "SAUCING" A CADET

ANNAPOLIS, Md., Oct. 16.—Midshipman H. P. Guller of Calais, Ohio, today was given 20 demerits for hazing Geoffrey D. Chevalier of the fourth class. Guller's offense was in going to Chevalier's room and applying a nickname to him. The punishment is the maximum for light offenses and is the first to be administered by Admiral Sands under the new law which gives the superintendent of the academy power to deal with cases of a mild character.

CARNEGIE IS MADE
DOCTOR OF LAWS

EDINBURGH, Oct. 16.—Andrew Carnegie today opened the new engineering and natural philosophy departments of the Edinburgh university. Former Premier Balfour, chancellor of the university, in thanking Mr. Carnegie, Lord Elgin and other contributors to the fund, conferred the degree of doctor of laws on Andrew Carnegie.

Important.
T. S. Knight, real estate and insurance, can be found at 1152 J St. with P. M. Chittenden & Co., where he will be pleased to meet his many friends.

We will sell for this week only

3-Year-Old Muscatel Wine

MATURED IN WOOD

At 60c Per Gallon

Buy while the stock lasts

ALBERT BRONGE

The Wine and Liquor Merchant

Free Delivery Within the City Limits.

1717-19 J Street. Telephone Main 336

CO-OPERATION OF LEADERS
IS APPRECIATED

Governor Magoon Especially Com-
mends the Attitude of Gen-
eral Guerrero.

HAVANA, Oct. 16.—Governor Magoon this morning expressed warm appreciation of the assistance given by the leaders of the revolution in the restoration of order in Cuba. He particularly commended the action of General Guerrero in declining the recent offer of election to the position of commander-in-chief of the former insurgent forces, thus setting an excellent example.

The movement of American troops toward the places throughout the island and which they are to garrison, is proceeding rapidly. Reports from all parts of the island show a continuation of the quiet which has prevailed since the change of government.

INVESTIGATING CHARGE
OF PRISON MURDER

Grand Jury Indicts Three Implicated
In Accusation of Doing Away
With Patient.

LEXINGTON, Ky., Oct. 16.—As a result of an investigation of charges that Fred Ketterer, a patient in the prison, had been murdered by attendants, the grand jury here today returned three indictments. Fred P. Harris was arrested and the others indicted whose names have not been given until have not been located.

Son of Garfield Married.

PAIMOTH, Mass., Oct. 16.—Irving McDowell Garfield, son of the late President James A. Garfield, and Miss Susan Emmans, daughter of Nathaniel Emmans of Boston, were married here today.

A Certain Cure for Croup—Used for
Ten Years Without a Failure.

Mr. W. C. Bott, a Star City, Ind., hardware merchant, is enthusiastic in his praise of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. His children have all been subject to croup and he has used this remedy for the past ten years, and though they have never failed to effect a cure, he has never known it to fail. He has recommended it to friends and neighbors and all who have used it say that it is unequalled for croup and whooping cough. For sale by all druggists.

ASSESSMENT NOTICE NO. 38.

Crescent Canal company, a corporation,
Location and principal place of busi-
ness, Wheatville, Fresno county, Cal-
ifornia.

Notice is hereby given that at a meeting of the board of directors held on the 11th day of September, 1906, an assessment of (\$30.00) fifty dollars per share was levied upon the subscribed capital stock of the corporation payable on or before the 11th day of October, 1906, to the secretary at his office at Wheatville, Fresno county, California.

Any stock upon which this assessment shall remain unpaid on the 11th day of October, 1906, will be delinquent and advertised for sale and unless payment is made before will be sold on the 12th day of November, 1906, at 1 o'clock p. m., at the company's office to pay the delinquent assessment, together with costs of advertising and expenses of sale.

C. C. GODDELL, Secretary.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Supervisors of Fresno county will receive bids up to 2 o'clock p. m. of the 23d day of October, 1906, for the construction of an extension of the bridge crossing the San Joaquin river at Firebaugh in said county, according to the plans and specification, strata sheets and working details for said same this day adopted by said Board of Supervisors. Each bid must be accompanied by a certified check in the sum of \$200, payable to the chairman of said board, as a guarantee that the successful bidder will enter into a contract for the performance of said work and execute a bond to the county of Fresno in the sum of \$500, conditioned upon the faithful performance of said contract and will also execute a bond running to laborers and material men as required by law. Each bid must be sealed, addressed to the clerk of said board, and marked "Bid for construction of Firebaugh Bridge Extension." Said plans, specifications, strata sheets and working details are now on file in the office of said board where they may at any time be seen and examined. The board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

Dated October 8, 1906.

W. O. MILES, Clerk.

By A. D. EWING, Deputy.

Notice to Creditors.

In the Superior Court of the County
of Fresno, State of California.

In the Matter of the Estate of Ed-
ward Schulz, Deceased. No. 2127.
Sept. 1.

Notice is hereby given by the under-
signed, Elizabeth H. Haase, executrix of
the estate of Edward Schulz, deceased,
to the creditors and all persons having
claims against said deceased, to ex-
hibit them with the necessary vouchers
within four months after the first pub-
lication of this notice to said execu-
trix, at the office of Snow and Freman,
in Rooms 212-215 of the Forsyth
Building, in the City of Fresno,
County of Fresno, State of California,
the same being the place for the trans-
action of the business of said estate,
in the County of Fresno, State of Cal-
ifornia.

Dated this 4th day of October, 1906.

ELIZABETH HAASE,
Executrix of Said Estate.

Snow and Freman, Attorneys
for Said Executrix.

Date of first publication, October 4,
1906.

NOTICE OF ASSESSMENT.

The Liberty Mill Race company, a cor-
poration, Principal place of business,
Fresno county, California.

Notice is hereby given that at a meeting of the board of directors of said company, held on the 5th day of September, 1906, an assessment, No. 45, of ten dollars (\$10) per share was levied upon the capital stock of the said corporation payable immediately to the treasurer, the Farmers' National Bank, at Fresno, Fresno county, California.

Any stock upon which this assessment shall remain unpaid on Saturday, October 13, 1906, will be delinquent and advertised for sale at public auction, and unless payment is made before will be sold on Saturday, October 17, 1906, at 1 o'clock p. m., to pay the delinquent assessments, together with cost of advertising and expense of sale.

C. F. ADAMS,
Secretary of said Corporation.

Dated Fresno, Cal., Sept. 7, 1906.

NOTICE OF STREET WORK.

Notice is hereby given that on Mon-
day, the 1st day of October, 1906, the
Board of Trustees of the City of Fresno,
State of California, did at its meeting
on said day adopt a resolution of intention,
No. 56, to order the following street
work to be done in said city, to-wit:

That Kern Street, in said City, from the East line of "H" Street to the West line of "I" Street, except such portion thereof as is required by law to be kept in order or repair by any person or company having railroad tracks thereon, be graded, curbed and culverted, and sidewalk approaches built therefor, in accordance with the plans and profile on file in the office of the City Engineer, and specifications on file in the office of the City Clerk of said City.

Two (2) brick culverts to be constructed one across Kern Street on the West side of "I" Street, and one across Kern Street on each side of "I" Street. Curb plank to be set on the official grade, with gutters one foot deep on each side of the street, except at crossings; the center of the street to be three inches higher than curb grade and the street bed to have a uniform curve from gutter to gutter. The sidewalks of said street, between the same limits, also to be graded to the official grade thereof, except where already paved or planked, consisting of 3x12 inch redwood plank 16 feet long, firmly spiked to 5-1/2 inch redwood posts 3 1/2 feet long, set in the ground flush with the curb, with four 6d. nails in each plank at each post. The curbs at the corners of the blocks to be bevelled with a plank 4 feet 3x14 inches, firmly spiked as above at each end.

For further particulars of said work, reference is hereby made to said resolution on file in the office of the City Clerk.

W. H. SPENCER,
Superintendent of Streets of the City of Fresno.

NOTICE OF STREET WORK.

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day, the 1st day of October, 1906, the
Board of Trustees of the City of Fresno,
State of California, did at its meeting
on said day adopt a resolution of intention,
No. 57, to order the following street
work to be done in said city, to-wit:

That Howard Street, in said City, to the South line of "A" Street, except such portion thereof as is required by law to be kept in order or repair by any person or company having railroad tracks thereon, be graded, curbed and culverted, and sidewalk approaches built therefor, in accordance with the plans and profile on file in the office of the City Engineer, and specifications on file in the office of the City Clerk of said City.

One (1) brick culvert to be constructed across Howard Street on the South line of "A" Street. Curb plank to be set on the official grade, with gutters one foot deep on each side of the street, except at crossings; the center of the street to be three inches higher than curb grade and the street bed to have a uniform curve from gutter to gutter. The sidewalks of said street, between the same limits, also to be graded to the official grade thereof, except where already paved or planked, consisting of 3x12 inch redwood plank 16 feet long, firmly spiked to 5-1/2 inch redwood posts 3 1/2 feet long, set in the ground flush with the curb, with four 6d. nails in each plank at each post. The curbs at the corners of the blocks to be bevelled with a plank 4 feet 3x14 inches, firmly spiked as above at each end.

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State of California, did at its meeting
on said day adopt a resolution of intention,
No. 58, to order the following street
work to be done in said city, to-wit:

That "I" Street, in said City, from the South line of Los Angeles Street to the North line of "J" Street, except such portion thereof as is required by law to be kept in order or repair by any person or company having railroad tracks thereon, be graded, curbed and culverted, and sidewalk approaches built therefor, in accordance with the plans and profile on file in the office of the City Engineer, and specifications on file in the office of the City Clerk of said City.

One (1) brick culvert to be constructed across "I" Street on the south side of Los Angeles Street. Curb plank to be set on the official grade, with gutters one foot deep on each side of the street, except at crossings; the center of the street to be three inches higher than curb grade and the street bed to have a uniform curve from gutter to gutter. The sidewalks of said street, between the same limits, also to be graded to the official grade thereof, except where already paved or planked, consisting of 3x12 inch redwood plank 16 feet long, firmly spiked to 5-1/2 inch redwood posts 3 1/2 feet long, set in the ground flush with the curb, with four 6d. nails in each plank at each post. The curbs at the corners of the blocks to be bevelled with a plank 4 feet 3x14 inches, firmly spiked as above at each end.

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on said day adopt a resolution of intention,
No. 59, to order the following street
work to be done in said city, to-wit:

That "J" Street, in said City, from the South line of Los Angeles Street to the North line of "K" Street, except such portion thereof as is required by law to be kept in order or repair by any person or company having railroad tracks thereon, be graded, curbed and culverted, and sidewalk approaches built therefor, in accordance with the plans and profile on file in the office of the City Engineer, and specifications on file in the office of the City Clerk of said City.

One (1) brick culvert to be constructed across "J" Street on the south side of Los Angeles Street. Curb plank to be set on the official grade, with gutters one foot deep on each side of the street, except at crossings; the center of the street to be three inches higher than curb grade and the street bed to have a uniform curve from gutter to gutter. The sidewalks of said street, between the same limits, also to be graded to the official grade thereof, except where already paved or planked, consisting of 3x12 inch redwood plank 16 feet long, firmly spiked to 5-1/2 inch redwood posts 3 1/2 feet long, set in the ground flush with the curb, with four 6d. nails in each plank at each post. The curbs at the corners of the blocks to be bevelled with a plank 4 feet 3x14 inches, firmly spiked as above at each end.

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Superintendent of Streets of the City of Fresno.

NOTICE OF STREET WORK.

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day, the 1st day of October, 1906, the
Board of Trustees of the City of Fresno,
State of California, did at its meeting
on said day adopt a resolution of intention,
No. 60, to order the following street
work to be done in said city, to-wit:

That "K" Street, in said City, from the East line of "J" Street to the West line of "L" Street, except such portion thereof as is required by law to be kept in order or repair by any person or company having railroad tracks thereon, be graded, curbed and culverted, and sidewalk approaches built therefor, in accordance with the plans and profile on file in the office of the City Engineer, and specifications on file in the office of the City Clerk of said City.

Curb plank to be set on the official grade, with gutters one foot deep on each side of the street, except at crossings; the center of the street to be three inches higher than curb grade and the street bed to have a uniform curve from gutter to gutter. The sidewalks of said street, between the same limits, also to be graded to the official grade thereof, except where already paved or planked, consisting of 3x12 inch redwood plank 16 feet long, firmly spiked to 5-1/2 inch redwood posts 3 1/2 feet long, set in the ground flush with the curb, with four 6d. nails in each plank at each post. The curbs at the corners of the blocks to be bevelled with a plank 4 feet 3x14 inches, firmly spiked as above at each end.

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W. H. SPENCER,
Superintendent of Streets of the City of Fresno.

Annual Meeting.

Notice is hereby given that the regu-
lar annual meeting of the stockholders
of the Crescent Canal Co. will be held
on Tuesday, November 13, 1906, at
1 o'clock p. m., for the election of di-
rectors and the transaction of any other
business that may properly come be-
fore the meeting.

C. C. GODDELL, Secretary.

Notice to Creditors.

In the Matter of the Estate of Elihu
B. Martin, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the under-
signed, Harlow P. Martin, administra-
tor of the estate of Elihu B. Martin,
deceased, to the creditors of said de-
ceased, to exhibit them with the neces-
sary vouchers, within four months af-
ter the first publication of this notice,
to said administrator at the office of
F. J. Walker, Temore, California,
the same being the place for the trans-
action of the business of said estate.

HARLOW P. MARTIN,
Administrator of Said Estate.

Dated Sept. 21, 1906.

F. J. WALKER, Attorney for Ad-
ministrator.

NOTICE OF STREET WORK.

Notice is hereby given that on Mon-
day, the 1st day of October, 1906, the
Board of Trustees of the City of Fresno,
State of California, did at its meeting
on said day adopt a resolution of intention,
No. 61, to order the following street
work to be done in said city, to-wit:

That "L" Street, in said City, from the East line of "K" Street to the West line of "M" Street, except such portion thereof as is required by law to be kept in order or repair by any person or company having railroad tracks thereon, be graded, curbed and culverted, and sidewalk approaches built therefor, in accordance with the plans and profile on file in the office of the City Engineer, and specifications on file in the office of the City Clerk of said City.

Two (2) brick culverts to be constructed one across "L" Street on the East side of "K" Street, and one across "L" Street on the West side of "K" Street. Curb plank to be set on the official grade, with gutters one foot deep on each side of the street, except at crossings; the center of the street to be three inches higher than curb grade and the street bed to have a uniform curve from gutter to gutter. The sidewalks of said street, between the same limits, also to be graded to the official grade thereof, except where already paved or planked, consisting of 3x12 inch redwood plank 16 feet long, firmly spiked to 5-1/2 inch redwood posts 3 1/2 feet long, set in the ground flush with the curb, with four 6d. nails in each plank at each post. The curbs at the corners of the blocks to be bevelled with a plank 4 feet 3x14 inches, firmly spiked as above at each end.

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W. H. SPENCER,
Superintendent of Streets of the City of Fresno.

NOTICE OF STREET WORK.

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Board of Trustees of the City of Fresno,
State of California, did at its meeting
on said day adopt a resolution of intention,
No. 62, to order the following street
work to be done in said city, to-wit:

That Santa Clara Street, in said City, from the East line of "L" Street to the West line of "M" Street, except such portion thereof as is required by law to be kept in order or repair by any person or company having railroad tracks thereon, be graded, curbed and culverted, and sidewalk approaches built therefor, in accordance with the plans and profile on file in the office of the City Engineer, and specifications on file in the office of the City Clerk of said City.

One (1) brick culvert to be constructed across Santa Clara Street on the West side of "L" Street. Curb plank to be set on the official grade, with gutters one foot deep on each side of the street, except at crossings; the center of the street to be three inches higher than curb grade and the street bed to have a uniform curve from gutter to gutter. The sidewalks of said street, between the same limits, also to be graded to the official grade thereof, except where already paved or planked, consisting of 3x12

BUFFINGTON FOR TRUSTEE

Local Barber Slated for Place on City Board.

Mayor Will Neither Admit Nor Deny that He Has Considered Buffington's Name.

George Buffington, proprietor of the Grand Central barber shop, will be appointed trustee from the eighth ward to fill the vacancy soon to occur by the resignation of J. Q. Anderson, whose resignation to take effect on the first of next month was accepted Monday night by the Board of Trustees.

At least that is what is stated to occur and, unless there is some change in the winds that govern the local administration, that it will actually occur. Buffington was an independent candidate for trustee from the eighth ward against J. Q. Anderson and ran the successful campaign a close race.

Mayor Lyon returned from Jamison at 6 o'clock last night and says that he has not had time to consider the appointment of any man to fill the two places on the city board left vacant by the resignation of Anderson and Sunday.

"I have been out of from all day," he has been out of from all day, "and did not even know of the resignation of Anderson and Sunday until I returned at 6 o'clock tonight. I can say that it is with deep regret that I learned that these two gentlemen had resigned, as I consider them public servants of a very high order."

"I have not had time to consider as yet the names of any men for these positions and I cannot say at this time whom I will appoint."

Asked if he had considered the appointment of Buffington, the mayor said: "I have not had time to consider the appointment of anyone yet."

It leaked out yesterday afternoon, however, that the powers behind the throne of the present administration have slotted Buffington for the position and it is understood that this program will be carried out by the mayor unless there is some hitch in the proceedings.

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muplation read at the meeting, stated that the state commander or his assistant and adjutant, would pay the salary of a couple of weeks, and he this it is surmised that the callers will be Major Baker, who was here last June and his adjutant. The visit is intended to act as a stimulus to recruiting of the veterans of the late war who are not already in the ranks of the post-hellum army, and will doubtless do much toward inducing ex-officers and soldiers now on the outside, to enter the lodge.

Another communication was read from Miss McDonald, of Orange, New Jersey, addressed to Harry Joseph, the quartermaster. Miss McDonald is a sister of Conrad McDonald, who was recently interred in the city after a lingering illness in the county hospital. She enclosed a check payable to Shanon & Beall in payment for a funeral of \$188.50, being the balance of the amount after payment of the government allowance of \$50. In her letter she enclosed a diamond pin as a token of regard to Quartermaster Joseph for his care of the sick man during his long illness, and thanked the veterans for their kindly interest taken in the dying man when it was thought that he was a poor and friendless man. The family has announced an intention of presenting the lodge with a silk memorial flag.

COFFEE CLUB MEETING WAS POORLY ATTENDED

Prospect of Paying Debts Does Not Arouse Much Enthusiasm.

The meeting of the members and directors of the defunct Coffee club, called for last night at the South Methodist church at 8 o'clock, failed to materialize. There were only four members in attendance, notwithstanding the fact that notice of the meeting was given in every church last Sunday. This would indicate that those who were interested in the founding of the club are not so anxious to come face to face with the liabilities of the defunct organization. The club was organized as a stock company and its purpose was to make just enough money to keep the business going and this aim was never realized, by the members going into debt and failing. Probably because each member of this stock company is to be held liable for his share, it is very hard to have a meeting.

RUNNING DOWN A PUNT RESULTS IN FATALITY

Student Stricken With Heart Failure During Course of a Football Game.

TOLEDO, O., Oct. 16. — Lewis A. Goister, of Paulding, a senior at Ohio Wesleyan university at Delaware, and right end on the "Varsity" team, fell dead of heart disease on the field today, after running down a punt.

Lipton at Milwaukee. MILWAUKEE, Wis., Oct. 16. — Today is "Lipton day" in Milwaukee. Sir Thomas Lipton being the city's guest. A varied program has been mapped out for the entertainment of Sir Thomas Lipton, including a reception at the Milwaukee Yacht club.

BIG HOSTELRY FOR YOSEMITE

Riverside Man Seizes Concession at Washington.

Three Transcontinental Lines Said To Be Back of Million Dollar Project.

RIVERSIDE, Oct. 16. — Frank A. Miller, the proprietor of the Glenwood hotel here, returned this morning from Washington, D. C., where he was successful in securing a concession to build a million dollar hotel in Yosemite valley. The Southern Pacific, Santa Fe and Salt Lake Railway companies are all interested in the project. Mr. Miller also secured all transportation privileges.

LOS ANGELES, Oct. 16. — Officials of the Southern Pacific, Santa Fe and Salt Lake railroads in this city state that they know nothing of the million dollar hotel project for Yosemite. No negotiations on the subject, however, may have been conducted with Eastern officials.

A. C. Wilson, general manager of Huntington interests here, said last night that he has known for some time that Miller was likely to get the hotel concession, but that he did not know that the concession was to include transportation privileges. These privileges, says Mr. Wilson, likely include trails, pack mules, etc., similar to Keeney and Coffman's present concession, and perhaps staging from railroad terminals from the park line and into the valley.

Mr. Miller is proprietor of the popular Glenwood hotel at Riverside and also of Talon tavern, and is one of the best known hotel men in the state. He is a brother-in-law of C. O. Newman, chief engineer of the Huntington enterprises.

"If the railroad is built from Fresno to the Yosemite valley," said Mr. Wilson last night, "there will be need of a tourist hotel here and an effort will be made to interest Mr. Miller in the project. This will undoubtedly be successful."

PROMINENT CLERGYMEN AT SOUTH METHODIST CONFERENCE

SAN JOSE, Oct. 16. — Of the 250 ministers of the Methodist Episcopal Church South who will attend the annual conference, which will begin in this city tomorrow, the majority are already here. This will be the fifty-sixth conference, and it will be presided over by Bishop James Atkins of Waynesville, N. C. Among other notable clergymen who will be present are Rev. J. M. Hammond, D. D., secretary of education, and Rev. W. R. Lambuth, D. D., missionary secretary, both of Nashville, Tenn.

Stop That Cough Before it is too late, with S. B. Long Tonic that never fails. Price 50c, only at Smith Bros. Drug Store.

AT THE BARTON.

"Her Only Crime" Tonight's Bill—Georgia Minstrels Sunday.

The play to be presented tonight by the Del S. Lawrence company at the Barton will be "Her Only Crime," a play of comedy and dramatic situations. The play had a long run in New York city and is one of the best comedy dramas ever produced on the American stage. It deals with a young American who emigrates to Bolivia to investigate some valuable lands, and gets entangled with the Bolivian government. There is a beautiful love story running through the play. Mr. Lawrence will be seen in one of the best parts he has played during his engagement here. The other members of the company will have congenial roles. The stage settings are superb. The ladies of the company will wear some magnificent gowns. Tomorrow night will be "Our New Minister," Friday, "Carmen," Saturday matinee, "Our New Minister," and Saturday night for the farewell performance, "A Texas Ranger." Seats are on sale all day; prices 10, 20 and 40 cents; matinee prices 10 and 20 cents.

Georgia Minstrels. Richards & Pringle's famous Georgia Minstrels continue to draw business everywhere and it is likely to do the same in this city at the Barton next Sunday night, for there is a fascination about the fun and music that will draw the people to the theater many times. The "Georgia" have reached the comfortable stage where the main thought of the management is on the frills, the public having the assurance that they like show.

The performance given by these "Sons of Ham" gained its vitality with the introduction of something new each season, and this, their 25th annual tour, a program of novelty is promised of unusual excellence. The usual parade will be given at 2 p. m. The sale of seats will open tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock; prices, 25, 50 and 75 cents.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

The following real estate transfers have been recorded during the past twenty-four hours:

Cheney Bros. to Bank of California, lots 25 and 26, block 22, Coalinga; \$800.
Guy H. Salisbury et al. to California Diamond Oil Co., sw 1/4 of section 24, township 21 s., range 16 e.; \$10.
W. A. Chance et ux. to Mrs. Mary Chance, lot 50 and 51 of lot 21, (in block 152); \$10.
Oscar W. Steinwand to Louise E. Steinwand, lots 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23 and 24, block 10, Union addition, Selma; gift.
T. W. Patterson et al. to B. F. Shepherd, Jr., et al., sw 1/4 of sec 14 of township 10, township 12 s., range 21 e.; \$10.
J. E. Barnes et ux. to John Armstrong, n 1/2 of sw 1/4 of sec 14 of township 24 s., range 21 e.; \$10.
Sacramento Bank to Fred S. Woodward, lot 1, Garfield Colony; \$250.
J. M. O'Brien et ux. to H. P. Stelz, Jr., 25 acres of the sw 1/4 of section 27, township 14 s., range 21 e.; \$10.
Kitano Okada to Gochi Ichimura, 25 feet of lots 1, 2, 3 and 4, block 57, Fowler; \$10.

IN THE LOOSE ROOM.

Redmen.

The local tribe of Redmen has been honored in the state capitol by the choice of H. E. Barbour as orator for the council of sorrow to be held in San Francisco on November 28th, the date when Redmen all over the United States pay tribute to their honored dead holding suitable services in memoriam. Pitchees tribe at the weekly gathering about the council fire last night made preliminary arrangements for a council which the local tribe will hold jointly with Navajo council, tribe of Pima, and a committee composed of W. R. McIntosh, James Smith and Martin Jensen, was appointed to the tribe to confer in regard to the arrangements with the council from Navajo council, Mrs. M. E. Dodge, Mrs. D. C. McLaughlin, Mrs. Harry Fredericks, last year the council of sorrow was held in the Cumberland Presbyterian church. No definite plans have been made as to place or manner of conducting the services, but this matter will be decided by the committee.

United Artisans. After a short business session of the United Artisans last night, the lodge enjoyed a pleasant social hour together with dancing and refreshments. Mrs. Hattie Sweet and Mrs. Lizzie Reed were responsible for the success of the social side of last night's session. Before many weeks the Artisans expect to give a dance, the time and place to be announced later. A social hour every meeting night is to be inaugurated as a feature of the meetings hereafter—an attraction which will doubtless be of interest to the members.

Maccabees. The candidates' ball which Pride of the West, Lady Maccabees, gave last Saturday night was an immense success, both socially and financially, owing to the indefatigable efforts of the committee including Mrs. Sudie Martin, Mrs. Lizzie Reed, Mrs. Sophie Robinson, Mrs. Lizzie Boyd, The live regrets exceedingly that the departure of its former lady commander, Mrs. Zillah Knappe, who left Monday for Goldfield to make her home.

Workmen. An enthusiastic meeting of the Workmen last night plans were begun for the celebration to be held on the 30th of October in commemoration of the 38th anniversary of the lodge. There will be a program interesting to young and old alike, appropriate anniversary exercises with music by a male quartet, solos, short talks by special members selected for the occasion; in fact, everything that will add to the enjoyment of the members. Music, games and dancing will be diversions of the evening. The Degree of Honor has been invited to join with the Workmen in this evening of celebration, which is being looked forward to as the social event of the month. The committee who has charge of the event is T. A. Hoover, M. Billy, Walter Jarvis.

W. O. W. The well attended meeting of Manzanita camp, No. 100, W. O. W., last night, was made very interesting by the important business transaction. Quite a number of members were present who had not attended a meeting for many months, and all responded with entertaining remarks. Harry

Kinne was elected to the office of quiskian. E. C. Nell, who has been absent from town, has again resumed command of the drill team, uniform rank. The salary of Banker H. D. Carver was increased and very pleasing and flattering remarks were extended to that efficient officer. Expressions of sympathy were given to Neighbor J. R. Van Zandt, whose wife recently died in Scotland.

J. O. U. A. M. Gen. George Washington council, No. 49, J. O. U. A. M., met last evening with a good attendance. Several important communications concerning immigration from the state council secretary stated that in spite of the San Francisco disaster, the membership of the order in the state had increased greatly. The members are taking great interest in the local membership contest, and all are striving to win the blue emblematic pin offered by Council Chase, Morton. A smoker will be held Tuesday evening, the 30th inst., and the committee having the affair in charge promises something good.

NIMRODS SAY SPORT IS FINE

Mayor Lyon Bags Big Bunch of Ducks—Others Have Like Luck.

Mayor Lyon returned last night from the West Side whither he and several of the local nimrods had gone to celebrate the opening of the duck season. The mayor reports that this season promises to be the best in years. He himself bagged 68 ducks and the other members of the mayor's party got like shares of the game.

J. J. Graves and wife who went from Jamison to the hunting grounds with the mayor, returned to Fresno with him and will spend the remainder of the week visiting Mayor and Mrs. Lyon.

Trustees Kelsker, Dr. Mickey Flynn, Frank Nelson and others were among the returning hunters last night. All report fine sport.

HARVARD STUDENT CLEARED OF ASSAULT CHARGE

BOSTON, Oct. 16. —The case against Shanon Kelley, the Harvard student charged with assaulting a patrolman, was dismissed in the municipal court today. The case grew out of the attempt of the officer to arrest a party of Harvard men who were skylarking on Boston Common. Theodore Roosevelt, Jr., and Shanon Kelley, his roommate, being in the party.

Squadron for Asiatic Station. WASHINGTON, Oct. 16. —The special service squadron of the United States navy consisting of the West Virginia, Colorado, Pennsylvania and Maryland, left Suez today for Bombay, on its way to the Asiatic station.

Money to Loan. Do you contemplate in these prosperous times investing in a ranch or town property? If so, the People's Savings Bank would be pleased to furnish you the money.

Cut Glass For Wedding Gifts. No where in town can you find such a fine assortment as we have. All the latest cuts are here in a large variety of handsome pieces. Cut glass always makes a splendid wedding present, as it's rich and beautiful.

Oberlin Bros. Progressive Jewelers. 1119 J Street Fluke Block

Largest Stock

Draperies
Portieres
Lace Curtains

Wormser Furniture Co.
EASY TERMS ---PLAIN FIGURES
GUARANTEED GOODS

Women's Norfolk Suits \$22.50 They are Worth \$50

The Norfolk is one of the ultra stylish costumes for fall and winter wear. It is the favorite style with women who want service as well as beauty.

The jacket of these special suits is trimmed with straps of self material, both in front and back, single or double breasted, trimmed with buttons; the skirt is one of the new box plaited effects so much in vogue this season.

The materials are in fine chevrons, serges and fancy suitings. Every suit lined with satin.

Women's Hosiery and Underwear Sale

Some advance bargains intended to remind you that summer won't last for ever. When the first real cold day arrives you will yearn for just such bargains as these:

Fleeced Hosiery. For women: wool of fine texture, soft finished, fast dye, guaranteed double soles heels and toes; a 35c stocking, pair, 25c.

Fleeced Vests 25c. Cream Color, full cut, high neck, long sleeves, pants to match; garments worth 35c and 40c regularly; special for 25c.

Setsnug Underwear. The finest fitting under garments for women made; fleeced, high neck, long sleeves, extra large cut; colors, gray or white; a splendid value for 50c.

Of Interest to House Wives.

Useful, wanted goods that are in constant demand and all under price.

Bargains that came to us through many channels and that are sure to attract an appreciative audience.

Bed Spreads — In colors, blue, pink, or red, fast color, fringed ends, double bed size, heavy weight; special, \$1.75.

Red Damask — Oil, boiled color, never fade in washing, 58 inches wide, good heavy body, an unusually good value selling special, at yard, 30c.

\$2.25 Silk Gloves \$1.75. Here's a chance to own some very desirable gloves and pay a small price for them. You may have them in white or black silk, pure Milan weaves, double tipped fingers and in all sizes.

Infants' Kimonos 42c. Made of excellent flannel, in plain colors, pink or white.

20c Dress Shields. Stockinet dress shields; all sizes; perfect in every way; a very desirable value; special today, 6c.

Redlick's



There's a Window of Muslin Underwear that is Worth Seeing and Worth Buying

Some new arrivals in women's lingerie that will appeal strongly to those who love dainty underwear. Sprinkled among the fine garments are many at modest prices for ordinary wear, such as little plain corset covers at 10c, white skirts at \$1.25, drawers at 35c, chemises and night gowns at \$1.25 — all of them much under price.

The chief charm of this underwear is in the garments we have marked to sell at \$2, \$2.50, \$3 and \$3.50. They are exquisitely fashioned, made from the very finest Swiss, Nainsook and sheer laws, most of them of cobweb-like fineness; daintily trimmed with silk ribbons and laces. Those that are embroidery trimmed have the high-grade embroideries.

The underwear is such as women love to wear—fine enough to satisfy the critical and fastidious, but generously full sensibly made; desirable from every point of view.

Kuppenheimer Clothing Sale

Doing an Enormous Business

The rapid selling of the last week and part of this has made a deep hole in the stock of the Kuppenheimer clothing we are selling at such reduced prices.

Our one object is to close out the entire line, because we have better clothing to sell at the regular Kuppenheimer price.

All over the United States the Kuppenheimer clothes sell from \$15 to \$35 a suit.

They have an excellent reputation and at our prices they are certainly bargains. We are showing them in all the right colors and weaves, in the right cut and at these astonishing low prices.

Suits Worth From \$15 to \$20 are to be Sold for \$9.85

Suits Worth From \$22.50 to \$35 are to be Sold for \$13.95



Our Men's Walk Over Shoe Store

We have a separate and distinct store for the sale of men's Walk Over shoes. Our business on this famous footwear has grown so rapidly that we were compelled to enlarge the room and devote large space to the selling of this make of shoes. It is unquestionably the very best shoe for a man on the market. Comes in patent leather, vici kid, vici calf skin, platinum calf and box calf; 50 styles to choose from; strictly hand made. We sell them at the same prices as every other Walk Over store in this country.

\$3.50 and \$4—no higher. Equal to other shoes that sell at \$5 and \$6.

Credit Accounts Grocery News

Responsible people desiring the privilege of paying their bills monthly, weekly or on pay days may be accommodated by consulting our credit manager, H. C. Katze.

An account here is the sure means of saving money. It will be quickly demonstrated that a comparison of the prices paid here and those paid elsewhere, means the saving of an important amount each month.

The value of an account here is of especial importance to the wage earner, for it will surely increase his savings.

New Ribbons 12c.

We are just in receipt of a large consignment of elegant silk ribbons for neck, sash, hair or millinery use. The prettiest we have ever seen to sell at 12c the yard; 36 inches wide, all the good shades. As an extra inducement we offer an entire bolt of 12 yards for \$1.00.

Meat News

We sell such a tremendous quantity of meat every day that it is an easy matter for us to keep prices lower. We sell every bit of every beef; there is no waste; there is no need to charge more for extra cuts. We never have any but the very freshest of beef—nothing ever lingers here.

These specials for today: Veal Stew, lb. 7c. Shoulder Veal Roasts or Cutlets, lb. 10c. Shoulder of Mutton, lb. 8c.

\$1.25 Silks 93c.

We are placing on sale today a fine black taffeta silk suiting, full yard wide, a very high gloss finish, dust proof and warranted not to crack; on sale all day, yard, 93c.

35c Hair Pins.

A box of shell hair pins, crimp style, high finish, heavy body; 6 in the box; today 18c.

35c Hose Supporters.

Fancily frilled, best quality elastic, rubber button, nickel clasp, all colors; special today, 16c.

50c Back Combs.

Very fancy, amber color, studded with imitation jewels; some plain but pretty; choice 25c.

5c Buttons.

A dozen of good pearl buttons; every one perfect, sweet-water pearl, for only 2c.

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